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THE ARMY.

G. O. 44, H. Q. A., May 20, 1893.

Published letter of Second Comptroller, dated May 18, 1893, to the Secretary of War, as to the course to be pursued where purchases are made, under G. O. 32, A. G. O., 1893, from persons unable to write, and says: "The requirements as to vouchers for purchases or services, except services by the day or month, is that they must be accompanied by the original bills for the same, and that said bills are to be furnished by, but not necessarily written by, the person from whom the purchase was made or by whom the service was rendered. Where such persons are unable to write, they are under the necessity of securing clerical assistance in making out their bills, if that be not impossible. Where or how they shall secure such assistance the accounting officers do not assume to say. If, however, it is impossible to secure the same, the disbursing officer must furnish a certificate with each voucher setting forth in full the reasons why the requirement as to the original bill was not complied with. He must also state on each voucher the usual place of residence or business of each person unable to write and unable to secure some clerical assistance, from whom a purchase was made or by whom service, not by the day or month, was rendered."

G. O. 46, H. Q. A., June 2, 1893.

By direction of the Secretary of War paragraph 480 of the Regulations is amended as follows:

480. The badge of military mourning is a piece of black crape, five inches wide, worn around the left arm above the elbow, and also upon the sword-belt. It will be worn when in full or undress uniform, and for a period not to exceed thirty days.

G. O. 47, H. Q. A., June 5, 1893.

The following order has been received from the War Department:

WAR DEPARTMENT, WASHINGTON CITY, June 2, 1893.

By direction of the President Brigadier General William P. Carlin is assigned to the command of the Department of the Columbia, vice Brigadier General Thomas H. Ruger, hereby relieved.

DANIEL S. LAMONT, Secretary of War.

General Carlin will repair to Vancouver Barracks as soon as practicable. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

G. O. 8, DEPT. OF COL., May 31, 1893.

Owing to high water and overflow of the target range at Fort Sherman, Idaho, the second month of the target season at that post is changed to include the period from June 15 to July 15, 1893.

By command of Brig. Gen. Ruger:

THOMAS WARD, Asst.-Adjt.-Gen.

Cir. 16, H. Q. A., June 5, 1893.

The following decisions, rulings, etc., have been made, and are published to the Army for the information of all concerned:

I. SIDE ARM FOR HOSPITAL STEWARD.—Hospital stewards and acting hospital stewards are authorized to wear the side arm and belt of mounted non-commissioned officers.—[War Dept. Decision May 13, 93—8154 A. G. O., 1893.]

II. HOSPITAL CORPS.—The decision of March 31, 1893 (Circular No. 3, April 9, 1893, A. G. O.), relating to discharge of private of the Hospital Corps, detailed as acting hospital stewards, is modified so that hereafter they will, on discharge by expiration of term of service, receive pay and travel allowances acting hospital stewards.—[Decision Sec. War, May 15, 93—7607 P. R. D., 1893.]

III.—DEPORTMENT.—A deserter is not exempt from punishment until two years after the date of the expiration of his enlistment, and not then unless he shall have spent two years in the United States after the date of expiration of his enlistment. The \$50 reward (paragraph 122 Army Regulations, and General Orders, No. 22, 1893, A. G. O.) should be paid for the apprehension and delivery of those liable to punishment and not for the arrest of those exempt from punishment.—[Decision to Acting Sec. War, May 24, 93—9616 A. G. O., 1893.]

Cir. 71, H. Q. A., June 7, 1893.

With the approval of the Secretary of War the following is published for the information and guidance of the Army:

"The Service of Security and Information," by Captain Arthur L. Wagner, 6th Infantry, is announced as an authorized text book, in connection with the system of examination to determine the fitness of officers for promotion, prescribed in General Orders, No. 80, of 1891, from this office.

Examinations in Minor Tactics shall, if candidates so elect, be confined to this book, so far as it relates to the subject; and it will be regarded as equivalent to the following subheads announced in Memorandum of October 5, 1891, from this office, accompanying General Orders, No. 80 heretofore mentioned:

Security and Information.

Reconnoitering.

Rear Guards.

That is to say, the examination of a candidate on the entire text of "The Service of Security and Information" will exempt him from further examination in the subheads specified, and the "Aggregate value of questions" (300) in Minor Tactics will remain as prescribed by General Orders, No. 6, January 26, 1893, from this office.

CORPS AND STAFF DEPARTMENTS.

Quartermasters and Subsistence Departments.

Leave for one month, to take effect upon being relieved from duty in the Dept. of Texas, is granted Capt. Wells Willard, C. S. (S. O., June 1, H. Q. A.)

Post Q. M. Sergt. Thos. Wheeler, appointed June 2, from Sergeant-Major, 20th Inf., now at Fort Assiniboine, Mont., will proceed to Fort Washakie, Wyo., to relieve Post Q. M. Sergt. Edgar C. Graham, who will proceed to Benicia Bks., Cal., for duty (S. O., June 3, H. Q. A.)

Leave for 20 days, on surgeon's certificate, is granted Capt. Chas. R. Barnett, A. Q. M., (S. O. 120, June 6, D. East.)

Capt. Daniel D. Wheeler, A. Q. M., having reported to the department commander, is assigned to duty as disbursing Q. M. and assistant to the Chief Q. M. of the department (S. O. 56, June 1, D. Mo.)

Col. Chas. H. Tompkins, A. Q. M. G., will proceed on public business to Fort Niagara, N. Y. (S. O. 121, June 7, D. East.)

A furlough for three months, to take effect about June 10, is granted to Post Q. M. Sergt. Horace E. Myrick, on duty at Fort Sherman, Idaho (S. O., June 7, H. Q. A.)

Medical Departments.

1st Lieut. Chas. Wilcox, asst. surg., Asst. Hosp. Stwd. Frank Klar, and Pvt. Michael Feeldin, Hospital Corps, will report to the C. O. Troop B, 4th Cav., for duty with it on the march and at the Sequoia National Park (S. O. 44, May 27, D. Cal.)

Order No. 62, dated Fort Sam Houston, Tex., May 1, directing 1st Lieut. C. C. McCulloch, asst. surg., to proceed to Camp at Leon Springs, Tex., and relieve Capt. R. J. Gibson, asst. surg., who upon being thus relieved will return to Fort Sam Houston, is confirmed (S. O. 60, May 29, D. Tex.)

Capt. E. A. Mearns, asst. surg., Fort Clark, Tex., will proceed to Fort Hancock, Tex., for temporary duty, to relieve Capt. A. R. Chapin, asst. surg., who upon being relieved will report at Dept. of Texas Hdqrs. to accompany Troops C, E and G, 31st Cav., to Fort Riley, Kas. (S. O. 61, May 31, D. Tex.)

Asst. Hosp. Stwd. Morgan Savidge, Hospital Corps, will report to the C. O. Fort Sam Houston, Tex., for temporary duty (S. O. 61, May 31, D. Tex.)

Major John Brooke, surg., is relieved from duty at Fort Leavenworth, Kas. (S. O. 55, May 31, D. Mo.)

The leave granted Major James P. Kimball, surg., is extended two months on surgeon's certificate (S. O., June 1, H. Q. A.)

Capt. Jefferson D. Poindexter, asst. surg., will be relieved from duty at Fort Niobrara, Neb., and will report to the C. O. Fort Bowie, A. T., for duty (S. O., June 1, H. Q. A.)

Lieut. Col. J. V. D. Middleton, Dep. S. G., and 1st Lieut. Chas. Wilcox, asst. surg., are detailed as members of the examining board convened at the Presidio of San Francisco, Cal., vice Capt. Louis Brechemin and Leonard Wood, asst. surg., relieved (S. O., June 1, H. Q. A.)

Capt. John M. Baister, asst. surg., is detailed as a member of the examining board convened at Fort Leavenworth, Kas., vice Major John Brooke, surg., relieved (S. O., June 1, H. Q. A.)

Capt. Wm. H. Corbuser, asst. surg., is relieved from temporary duty at Columbus Bks., Ohio, and will return to his proper station, Fort Wayne, Mich. (S. O., June 2, H. Q. A.)

The following transfer to the Hospital Corps, change of stations, and assignments to duty of enlisted men therein are made: Pvt. Frank T. Hobson, Detachment of Cav., Military Academy, now at West Point, N. Y., is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private; Pvt. Fred. Foster, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Yates, N. D., is transferred for duty at that post from Fort Sully, S. D.; Pvt. Wm. R. King, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Mason, Cal., is transferred for duty at that post from Alcatraz Island, Cal.; Pvt. Alfred A. Somerville, Hospital Corps, now at Alcatraz Island, Cal., is transferred for duty at that post from the Presidio of San Francisco, Cal. (S. O., June 3, H. Q. A.)

S. O. 120, May 27, H. Q. A., relating to Major John Brooke, surg., is revoked (S. O., June 3, H. Q. A.)

Major John R. Van Hoff, surg., is detailed as a member of the board of medical officers to meet at West Point, N. Y., for the physical examination of cadets at the Military Academy and candidates for admission thereto, vice Brig.-Gen. George M. Sternberg, S. G., late lieutenant-colonel and deputy surgeon general. Major Hoff will proceed at once to West Point (S. O., June 3, H. Q. A.)

1st Lieut. Chas. E. B. Flagg, asst. surg., is detailed as a member of the examining board convened at the Presidio of San Francisco, vice 1st Lieut. Chas. Wilcox, asst. surg., relieved (S. O., June 5, H. Q. A.)

Col. Joseph R. Smith, Asst. Surg. Gen., medical director, will make an inspection of the Post of Ft. Mason, Cal., and upon completion thereof, return to his station (S. O. 46, May 31, D. Cal.)

The leave granted Capt. Marlborough C. Wyeth, asst. surg., is extended seven days on account of sickness (S. O., June 7, H. Q. A.)

Hosp. Stwd. Frank Auezuane, now at Fort Stanton, N. M., will be discharged the service of the U. S. (S. O., June 7, H. Q. A.)

Pvt. John McKee, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Robinson, Neb., is transferred to Fort Columbus, N. Y. (S. O., June 7, H. Q. A.)

Pay Department.

The following assignments of paymasters in the Dept. of Columbia is made for the payments due May 31: Major Frank M. Coxe, paymr., at Vancouver Bks., Fort Canby, Fort Townsend and the troops in camp at the Puyallup Indian Reservation, Wash.; Major F. S. Dodge, paymr., at Fort Walla Walla, Wash., Boise Bks., and Fort Sherman, Idaho (S. O. 97, May 29, D. Col.)

The troops in the Dept. of Texas will be paid to include the muster of May 31 as follows: At Camp Eagle Pass, Forts Clark, Hancock and Bliss, Tex., by Col. C. M. Terrell, Asst. P. G.; at Forts Sam Houston and McIntosh, Tex., and all troops of the 31st Cavalry assembled at Fort McIntosh en route to the Dept. of the Missouri, by Major C. C. Sniffen, paymr. (S. O. 61, May 31, D. Tex.)

Major Wm. H. Hamner, paymr. (recently appointed), will report in person by July 1 to the Comdg. Gen. Dept. of Texas, at San Antonio, Tex., for duty in that department, and will take station at the place named (S. O., June 1, H. Q. A.)

Lt. Col. Geo. W. Candee, chief paymr., will proceed to Jackson Park, Chicago, Ill., and pay the troops stationed there in connection with the World's Columbian Exposition (S. O. 53, June 1, D. Mo.)

Leave for one month, to take effect about June 20, with permission to apply for an extension of three months, is granted Maj. Jas. R. Roche, paymr. (S. O. 56, June 1, D. Mo.)

Payments to troops, on the muster of May 31, are assigned to paymasters as follows: Major Charles I. Wilson, Alcatraz Island and Angel Island, Cal.; Major W. M. Maynard, Presidio of San Francisco, Fort Mass, Benicia Arsenal and Benicia Bks., Cal. (S. O. 45, May 29, D. Cal.)

Engineer and Ordnance Departments.

The leave extended 1st Lieut. Graham D. Fitch, C. E., is extended to Sept. 15 (S. O., June 1, H. Q. A.)

The resignation of 1st Lieut. Graham D. Fitch, C. E., has been accepted by the President, to take effect Sept. 15 (S. O., June 1, H. Q. A.)

Lieut. Col. Henry M. Robert, C. E., now stationed at Nashville, Tenn., will be relieved of his present duties by Capt. John Biddle, C. E., upon the return to duty of that officer, and will then proceed to, and take station at, New York City, and assume all the duties lately performed by Col. David C. Houston, C. E., including such of them as have been tempor-

arily assigned to Lieut. Col. George L. Gillespie and 1st Lieut. Thomas H. Rees, C. E. (S. O., June 2, H. Q. A.)

The leave granted Lieut. Col. Peter C. Hains is extended 20 days (S. O., June 3, H. Q. A.)

Major Henry M. Adams, C. E., is detailed as a member of the Light-House Board, vice Col. Geo. H. Elliot, C. E., who, at his own request, is relieved as a member of the board (S. O., June 3, H. Q. A.)

Chaplains.

The leave granted Post Chaplain Thos. W. Barry is extended one month (S. O., June 1, H. Q. A.)

The leave granted Post Chaplain John H. Macomber is extended three months (S. O., June 2, H. Q. A.)

Leave for four months, to take effect on or about June 12, is granted Post Chaplain Malnor C. Blaine (S. O., June 2, H. Q. A.)

The leave granted Post Chaplain George Robinson is extended one month and 20 days (S. O., June 7, H. Q. A.)

Leave for six months, on surgeon's certificate, is granted Post Chaplain Joseph A. Potter (S. O., June 7, H. Q. A.)

THE LINE.

1st Cavalry, Colonel Abraham K. Arnold.

Hqrs., C. F. G. H and K, Ft. Grant; D, Ft. Apache, and I, Ft. Bayard, N. M.; L, Ft. Custer, Mont.; A, Ft. Myer, Va.; E, San Carlos, Ariz.—Indian troop.

Capt. Frazier A. Butelle is designated to inspect 19 cavalry horses at Vancouver Bks. about June 8 (S. O. 98, May 31, D. Columbia.)

Capt. Albert G. Forze, recruiting officer, St. Paul, Minn., will visit the rendezvous No. 239 Nicollet avenue, Minneapolis, Minn., June 2, 5 and 7 (S. O. 119, June 1, Rec. Ser.)

The following transfers are made: Capt. Frazier A. Boutelle, from Troop K to L, and Thomas T. Knox, from Troop L to K (S. O., June 3, H. Q. A.)

2nd Cavalry, Colonel George G. Hunt.

Hqrs., A, C, D, G, H and I, Ft. Wingate, N. M.; E and K, Ft. Huachuca, Ariz.; B and J, Ft. Bowie, Ariz.; F, Ft. Leavenworth, Kas.—Indian troop.

The leave granted Major Thomas McGregor, Fort Bowie, A. T., is extended five days (S. O. 85, June 1, D. Ariz.)

3rd Cavalry, Colonel Anson Mills.

Hqrs., A, B and K, Ft. Reno, O. T.; C, E, F and G, Ft. Riley, Kas.; H and I, Ft. Sill, O. T., L, S. L. Supply, I. T. L. Fort Meade, S. D.—Indian troop.

The following transfers are ordered: 1st Lieut. Franklin O. Johnson, from Troop C to K, and Joe T. Dickman, from Troop K to C, and 2nd Lieut. Geo. D. Langhorne, from Troop C to E, and Frank M. Caldwell, from Troop E to C (S. O., June 1, H. Q. A.)

4th Cavalry, Colonel Chas. E. Compton.

Hqrs., A, D, H and I, Ft. Walla Walla, Wash.; G, Ft. Boise, Idaho; B, Ft. Sherman, Idaho; E, Vancouver Bks., Wash.; F, Boise Bks., Idaho; B, I, J and K, Presidio of San Francisco, Cal.—Indian troop, 1 d. s. Sequoia National P. R. 24, Yosemite National Park.

Troop B will march on May 6 from the Presidio of San Francisco, Cal., en route to the Sequoia National Park (S. O. 44, May 27, D. Cal.)

Capt. James R. Richards, Jr., will repair to Pittsburgh, Pa., and relieve Capt. Jesse C. Chano, 1st Inf., from charge of the rendezvous No. 915 Penn. avenue, in that city (S. O. 120, June 2, Rec. Ser.)

5th Cavalry, Colonel James F. Wade.

Hqrs., B and D, Ft. McIntosh, Tex.; A and E, Fort Brown, Tex.; C, Ft. Clark, Tex.; F, Camp Eagle Pass, Tex.; G and I, Ft. Ringgold, Tex.; H and K, Ft. Brown, Tex.; L, Ft. Reno, Okla.—Indian troop.

The 5th Regiment of Cavalry, in the Dept. of the Missouri, is transferred to the Dept. of Texas, and on June 15, will proceed by rail, with such marching as may be necessary, to the stations in that department, as follows: Col. James F. Wade, with headquarters, band and Troop C, from Fort Reno, O. T., and Troop D, from Fort Sill, O. T., to Fort McIntosh, Tex.; Major Henry Wagner, from Fort Sill, O. T., and Troops G and K, from Fort Reno, O. T., to Fort Brown, Tex.; Troops A, from Fort Supply, I. T., and H, from Fort Sill, O. T., to Fort Sam Houston, Tex.; Troops B, from Fort Reno, O. T., to Fort Clark, Tex.; E, from Fort Reno, O. T., to Fort Ringgold, Tex.; F, from Fort Supply, I. T., to Camp Eagle Pass, Tex. Major Francis Moore assigned to station at Fort Sam Houston, Tex. (S. O. 53, May 27, D. Mo.)

1st Lieut. Henry J. Goldman will proceed at once from Fort Reno, O. T., via Galveston, to Ft. Brown, Tex., to assume the duties of Q. M. and A. C. S. at that post (S. O. 54, May 29, D. Mo.)

1st Lieut. Lester W. Cornish will proceed without delay from Fort Supply, I. T., to Camp Eagle Pass, Tex., and assume the duties of Q. M. and A. C. S. at that post (S. O. 54, May 29, D. Mo.)

Leave for one month is granted 1st Lieut. John Bellinger (S. O., June 1, H. Q. A.)

S. O. 120, May 27, 1893, H. Q. A., is amended so as to grant Major Francis Moore four months' leave, with permission to go beyond sea, to date from May 17, instead of May 17, 1893 (S. O., June 7, H. Q. A.)

6th Cavalry, Colonel David S. Gordon.

Hqrs., A, E, G, H, K and L, Ft. Niobrara, Neb.; C, Ft. McKim, Wyo.; F, B and I, Fort Yellowstone, Wyo.; D, Washakie, Wyo.; J, Fort Leavenworth, Kas.—Indian troop.

Leave for one month, to take effect upon being relieved from duty at the U. S. M. A., is granted 1st Lieut. Wm. W. Forsyth (S. O., June 6, H. Q. A.)

7th Cavalry, Colonel James W. Forsyth.

Hqrs., A, F, H and I, Ft. Riley, Kas.; B and K, Ft. Shaw, Mo.; C, Ft. Hancock, Tex.; D, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.; E, Fort Myer, Va.; G, Ft. Clark, Tex.; L, Ft. Sill, Okla.—Indian troop.

1st Lieut. Loyd S. McCormick will relieve Capt. Erasmus C. Gilbreath, 11th Inf., from charge of the rendezvous No. 1316 Filbert street, Philadelphia (S. O. 118, May 31, Rec. Ser.)

Leave for one month, from and including May 1, is granted Capt. Edward S. Godfrey (S. O., June 7, H. Q. A.)

So much of S. O. 118, c. s., Rec. Ser., as directs 1st Lieut. Loyd S. McCormick, 7th Cav., to relieve Capt. Erasmus C. Gilbreath, 11th Inf., from charge of the rendezvous No. 1316 Filbert street, Philadelphia, revoked, and Lieut. McCormick is assigned to the charge of the Mounted Service rendezvous No. 1316 Spring Garden street, in that city (S. O. 120, June 7, Rec. Ser.)

Capt. Henry J. Nowlan, Assistant to the Inspector General, will proceed to Allegheny College and Grove City College, Pa., on public business (S. O. 21, June 7, D. East.)

8th Cavalry, Colonel Caleb H. Carlton.

Hdgrs., A, B, C, E, I, and K, Ft. Meade, S. D.; D, Ft. Leavenworth, Kas.; L, Ft. Keogh, Mont.; F and G, Ft. Yates, N. D.; H, Ft. Myer, Va.—Indian troop.

Troop D (Godwin's) will stand relieved from duty at Fort Meade, S. D., in the Dept. of Dakota, June 1, and will proceed by rail to Fort Leavenworth, Kas., for station (S. O. 75, June 2, D. Dak.). Leave for two months, to take effect on or about Aug. 15, is granted Capt. Argalus G. Hennisee (S. O., June 3, H. Q. A.).

9th Cavalry, Colonel James Biddle.

Hdgrs., A, D, E, F, G and I, Ft. Robinson, Neb.; B and H, Fort Du Chesse, Utah; C, Ft. McKimsey, Wyo.; K, Fort Myer, Va.—Indian company.

Capt. Walter L. Finley is relieved from recruiting duty at Chattanooga, Tenn., to take effect upon being relieved from charge of the rendezvous base's block, in that city, on or about June 15, and will proceed to join his regiment (S. O. 118, May 31, Rec. Ser.). The following transfers are made: Capt. Matthias W. Day, from Troop G to L, and Walter L. Finley, from Troop L to G (S. O., June 5, H. Q. A.).

10th Cavalry, Colonel John K. Mismar.

Hdgrs., B, E, G and K, Ft. Custer, Mont.; C and F, Ft. Assiniboine, Mont.; D, Ft. Leavenworth, Kas.; D and H, Ft. Buford, N. D.; A, Ft. Keogh, Mont.

Leave for one month, on surgeon's certificate, is granted 1st Lieut. Wm. E. Shipp, Fort Buford, N. D. (S. O. 72, May 31, D. Dak.). The leave granted Lieut.-Col. David Perry is extended 20 days (S. O., June 2, H. Q. A.).

1st Artillery, Colonel Loomis L. Langdon.

Hdgrs., A, G, I, and K, Ft. Hamilton, N. Y.; C, D, and L, Ft. Wadsworth, N. Y.; E, Ft. Sheridan, Ill.; B, H, and M, Ft. Columbus, N. Y.; F, Ft. Monroe, Va.—Light battery.

Major John I. Rodgers, Dept. Inspector of Artillery, will, during the target season, visit the Presidio of San Francisco, Fort Mason and Alcatraz Island, Cal., for the purpose of observing the methods of conducting the artillery target practice at those posts (S. O. 46, May 31, D. Cal.). The leave granted 2d Lieut. Delamere Skerrett is extended four months on surgeon's certificate (S. O., June 1, H. Q. A.).

Leave for one month, to take effect about June 24, is granted 2d Lieut. Oscar I. Straub (S. O. 117, June 2, D. East.).

Leave for 15 days is granted Capt. J. M. K. Davis (S. O. 121, June 7, D. East.). The leave granted 1st Lieut. Charles J. Bailey is extended one month and twelve days on account of illness (S. O., June 7, H. Q. A.).

2nd Artillery, Colonel Richarda Ledor.

Hdgrs., C, G, and H, Ft. Adams, R. I.; K, Ft. Tremblay, Conn.; F, Ft. Monroe, Va.; B and D, Ft. Warren, Mass.; A, and F, Ft. Riley, Kas.; I, Ft. Monroe, Va.; H and L, Ft. Schuyler, N. Y.—Light battery.

Leave for eight days is granted 1st Lieut. John R. Williams (S. O. 116, June 1, D. East.). 1st Lieut. Charles B. Satterlee is detailed to attend the encampment of the 1st Regiment, Alabama State troops, at Mobile, Ala., June 12 to 19 (S. O., June 5, H. Q. A.).

2d Lieut. George O. Squier will repair to Chicago, Ill., in time to reach that place by Aug. 15, and will attend the sessions of the International Electrical Congress between that date and Sept. 1, and then return to his proper station (S. O., June 5, H. Q. A.). 1st Sergt. Walter Casey, Bat. I, recently tried at Fort McPherson for drunkenness, has been acquitted.

4th Artillery, Colonel Henry W. Closson.

Hdgrs., A, G, I, and M, Washington Bks., D. C.; H, Fort Ransom, N. D.; C, D, and L, Ft. McKimsey, Md.; E, Ft. Riley, Kas.; B and K, Ft. Monroe, Va.—Light battery.

Leave for 18 days is granted Capt. Wm. Ennis (S. O. 121, June 7, D. East.).

Leave for 20 days, to take effect upon his relief from duty with Light Bat. F, is granted 2d Lieut. Alfred M. Hunter (S. O., June 6, H. Q. A.).

Leave for 18 days is granted Capt. Wm. Ennis (S. O. 121, June 7, D. East.).

5th Artillery, Colonel William M. Graham.

Hdgrs., B, D, F, H, K, and L, Presidio of San Francisco, Cal.; C, Ft. Mason, Cal.; A and G, Ft. Canby, Wash.; E and I, Fort Baker, Cal.; G, Ft. Monroe, Va.—Light battery.

Leave for 18 days, to take effect on June 1, is granted 1st Lieut. O. E. Wood (S. O. 45, May 20, D. East.).

Corpl. Ignace Witkowski, Bat. K, for assaulting and cutting Sergt. R. A. Seymour, of the same battery, has been reduced, mulcted \$30, and relegated to confinement at hard labor for three months.

1st Infantry, Colonel William E. Shafter.

Hdgrs., A, B, D, G, and H, Angel Island, Cal.; C, E, and I, Benicia Bks., Cal.

1st Lieut. Charles B. Vogdes is detailed as professor of military science and tactics at the State University of Iowa, Iowa, to take effect July 1, 1893, to relieve 1st Lieut. George W. Read, 5th W., who, on being thus relieved, will proceed to his troop. Lieut. Vogdes will report in person to the university as soon as practicable (S. O., June 1, H. Q. A.).

2nd Infantry, Colonel John C. Bates.

Hdgrs., A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, and I, Ft. Omaha, Neb.—Indian company.

Leave for four months, to take effect on or about July 1, and, with the approval of the Secretary of War, permission to go beyond sea, is granted 1st Lieut. Henry H. Benham (S. O., June 3, H. Q. A.).

3rd Infantry, Colonel Edwin C. Mason.

Hdgrs., A, B, D, E, G, H and I, Ft. Snelling, Minn.; C and F, Ft. Seward, Wis.—Indian company.

Cos. F (Roe's) and C (Cooke's) have been designated by the Major General Commanding the Army for duty with the War Department exhibit at the World's Columbian Exhibition, and they will pro-

ceed by rail to Jackson Park, Chicago, Ill., leaving St. Paul on the evening of June 8 for that duty. The enlisted men of the command will be supplied at Jackson Park with the necessary camp equipage, mattresses, pillows and lockers, and will be subsisted there by contract. Full dress uniforms and tents with extra files for officers' use will be taken (S. O. 74, June 1, D. Dak.).

4th Infantry, Colonel Robert H. Hall.

Hdgrs., A, D, F, and H, Ft. Sherman, Idaho; B, E, G and I, Ft. Spokane, Wash.; C, Boise Barracks, Idaho.—Indian company.

A Spokane despatch says: "Sergt. O'Leary was shot and mortally wounded by Pvt. Roberts at Fort Sherman, Idaho, late Saturday night, June 3. Roberts fled to the woods and was pursued by detachments of soldiers, who found the murderer. Strong threats of lynching were indulged in, but the prisoner is now safely guarded. Jealousy over promotion caused the deed."

5th Infantry, Colonel Nathan W. Osborn.

Hdgrs., D and E, St. Francis Bks., Fla.; B and H, Jackson Bks.; C and G, Ft. Marion, Mo.; A, Ft. Leavenworth, Kas.; F, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

1st Lieut. Joseph M. T. Partello will visit the temporary branch rendezvous at Sandusky, Ohio, June 6, 13, 20 and 27 (S. O. 117, May 29, Rec. Ser.).

1st Lieut. George B. Davis is relieved from temporary duty pertaining to the militia of Maryland, and will proceed to Fort Leavenworth, Kas., for duty at the prison (S. O., June 1, H. Q. A.).

The leave for seven days granted 1st Lieut. S. W. Miller, R. Q. M., is extended 23 days (S. O. 121, June 7, D. East.).

6th Infantry, Colonel Melville A. Cochran.

Hdgrs., B, C, D, F, G and H, Ft. Thomas, Ky.; E, Newport Barracks, Ky.; A, Ft. Wood, N. Y.; I, Ft. Monroe, Va.—Indian company.

Leave for four months, to take effect on or about June 20, is granted Major Wm. M. Wherry (S. O., June 2, H. Q. A.).

Lieut.-Col. Harry C. Egbert is assigned to Fort Thomas, Ky., for station (S. O. 117, June 2, D. East.). The leave granted Lieut.-Col. Harry C. Egbert (recently promoted from major, 17th Inf.), is extended three months (S. O., June 7, H. Q. A.).

7th Infantry, Colonel Henry C. Merriam.

Hdgrs., A, B, C, D, E and F, Ft. Logan, Colo.; G, Camp Pilot Butte, Wyo.; H, Ft. Leavenworth, Kas.

The leave granted Col. Henry C. Merriam is extended 20 days (S. O., June 3, H. Q. A.).

8th Infantry, Colonel James J. Van Horn.

Hdgrs., A, E, and H, Ft. McKimsey, Wyo.; C and D, Ft. Robinson, Neb.; F and I, Ft. Washakie, Wyo.; B and G, Ft. Nebraska, Neb.—Indian company.

The extension of leave granted 2d Lieut. Joseph C. Beardsley is further extended to include July 1. The resignation of 2d Lieut. Beardsley has been accepted by the President, to take effect July 1 (S. O., June 1, H. Q. A.).

The leave granted 1st Lieut. Edgar Hubert is extended three months (S. O., June 1, H. Q. A.).

The extension of leave granted Capt. Wm. L. Pitcher is still further extended three months (S. O., June 2, H. Q. A.).

9th Infantry, Colonel Charles G. Bartlett.

Hdgrs., B, C, D, E, F and G, Madison Bks., N. Y.; H, Plattburgh Bks.; A, Fort Ontario, N. Y.

The leave for 14 days granted Capt. A. H. Bowman is extended 12 days (S. O. 122, June 8, D. East.). Col. Charles G. Bartlett will proceed to Fort Ontario, N. Y., and inspect the company of his regiment at that post (S. O. 119, June 5, D. East.).

Cos. C, E and G will proceed, June 9, to Ft. Niagara for small arms practice (Orders 61, May 31, Madison Bks.).

Leave for one month, to take effect about July 10, is granted 2d Lieut. Edmund Wittenmyer (S. O. 118, June 3, D. East.).

10th Infantry, Colonel Edward P. Pearson.

Hdgrs., B and D, Ft. Marcy, N. M.; A and F, Ft. Leavenworth, Kas.; C, San Diego Bks., Cal.; E and G, Ft. Stanton, N. M.; H, Ft. Wingate, N. M.; I, Ft. Barrancas, Fla.—Indian company.

Leave for one month, on surgeon's certificate, with permission to leave the Department, is granted 2d Lieut. Marous B. Stokes, with permission to apply for an extension of one month (S. O. 82, May 26, D. Ariz.).

Leave for 12 days is granted 1st Lieut. Frederick Woolley (S. O., June 1, H. Q. A.).

The enlisted force of Co. I (Indian) will be transferred to Co. I, 9th Inf., on July 1, 1893 (S. O., June 2, H. Q. A.).

Leave for one month from the date of his relief from recruiting duty is granted Capt. Clayton S. Burbank (S. O., June 2, H. Q. A.).

11th Infantry, Colonel Isaac D. DeRussy.

Hdgrs., A, C, D and G, Whipple Barracks, A. T.; B, and E, San Carlos, A. T.; F, H and I, Fort Apache, A. T.—Indian company.

Capt. Erasmus C. Gilbreath, upon being relieved from charge of the rendezvous No. 1316 Filbert street, and temporary charge of the rendezvous No. 939 Spring Garden street, Philadelphia, will proceed to Pittsburgh, Pa., and relieve Capt. Jesse C. Chance, 13th Inf. (S. O. 118, May 31, Rec. Ser.).

12th Infantry, Colonel Edwin F. Townsend.

Hdgrs., E, and G, Ft. Leavenworth, Kas.; A, F, and H, Yates, N. D.; B, C, and D, Ft. Sully, S. D.; I, Ft. Vernon Bks. Ala.—Indian company.

War Department order of May 9, 1893, published in S. O. 104, May 9, 1893, H. Q. A., is amended to detail 1st Lieut. Frank L. Winn, 12th Inf., at the University of California, to take effect Aug. 14, 1893, to relieve 1st Lieut. Benjamin H. Randolph, 3d Art., and to direct that Lieut. Randolph proceed to his station on being so relieved, and that Lieut. Winn report in person at the university Aug. 1, 1893 (S. O., June 1, H. Q. A.).

1st Lieut. Charles H. Barth is relieved from duty at the U. S. Infantry and Cavalry School, Fort Leavenworth, Kas., to take effect June 20, and will report to the C. O. of his regiment for duty (S. O., June 5, H. Q. A.).

13th Infantry, Colonel Montgomery Bryant.

Hdgrs., C, and G, Ft. Sill, Okla. T.; A and D, Fort Reno, O. T.; B, E and H, Ft. Supply, L. T.; F, Ft. Leavenworth, Kas.

Co. D is relieved from duty at Fort Sill, O. T., and will proceed, without delay, by rail, with such marching as may be necessary, to Fort Reno, O. T., and there take station (S. O. 55, May 31, D. Mo.).

Leave for one month is granted 1st Lieut. John H. H. Peabine (S. O., June 1, H. Q. A.).

1st Lieut. Abraham P. Buffington is relieved from duty as department recruiting officer at Fort Supply, I. T., and will turn over all the records pertaining to the department recruiting service at that post to 2d Lieut. Joseph C. Fox, who is appointed in his stead (S. O. 53, June 1, D. Mo.).

Capt. Jesse C. Chance is relieved from recruiting duty at Pittsburg, Pa., and will join his regiment (S. O. 120, June 2, Rec. Ser.).

Leave for four months, to take effect upon being relieved from recruiting duty, is granted Capt. Jesse C. Chance (S. O., June 5, H. Q. A.).

Leave for three months, to take effect on or about July 1, is granted Capt. Philip H. Ellis (S. O., June 7, H. Q. A.).

14th Infantry, Colonel Thomas M. Anderson.

Hdgrs., A, B, C, D, E, and G, Vancouver Bks., Wash.; F, Ft. Townsend, Wash.; H, Ft. Leavenworth, Kas.

The leave for seven days granted Capt. Samuel McConihe is extended twenty-three days (S. O. 55, May 31, D. Mo.).

15th Infantry, Colonel Robert E. A. Crofton.

Hdgrs., A, B, C, D, E, F, G and H, Ft. Sheridan, Ill.

1st Lieut. Will T. May is relieved from duty as department recruiting officer at Fort Sheridan, Ill., and will turn over all the records pertaining to the department recruiting service at that post to 1st Lt. Wm. N. Blow, Jr., adjt., who is appointed in his stead (S. O. 56, June 1, D. Mo.).

16th Infantry, Colonel Matthew M. Blunt.

Hdgrs., A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, and I, Ft. Douglas, Utah.—Indian company.

1st Lieut. Wm. Lassiter, recruiting officer, Knoxville, Tenn., will visit the temporary branch rendezvous at Greeneville, Tenn., June 5, 12, 19 and 26 (S. O. 117, May 29, Rec. Ser.).

18th Infantry, Colonel Henry M. Laselle.

Hdgrs., A, B, C, D, G and H, Ft. Clark, Tex.; E, Ft. Ringgold, Tex.; F, Ft. McIntosh, Tex.

Capt. Charles B. Hinton, recruiting officer, Springfield, Mass., will visit the temporary branch rendezvous at Worcester, Mass., June 6, 13, 20 and 27 (S. O. 120, June 2, Rec. Ser.).

Sergt. James Kenney, Co. H, for absence without leave has been reduced and fined \$10.

19th Infantry, Colonel Simon Snyder.

Hdgrs., A, E, G, and H, Ft. Wayne, Mich.; B, D and F, Ft. Brady, Mich.; C, Ft. Mackinac, Mich.

20th Infantry, Colonel Elwell S. Otis.

Hdgrs., A, B, D, E, F, G, and H, Ft. Assiniboine, Mont. C and I, Camp Poplar River, Mont.—Indian company.

1st Lieut. Harry C. Hale will conduct 29 recruits for the 20th Infantry to Fort Assiniboine, Mont., from St. Paul (S. O. 74, June 1, D. Dak.).

Leave from July 1 to Aug. 10 is granted 2d Lieut. Wilson Chase (S. O., June 7, H. Q. A.).

21st Infantry, Colonel Horace Jewett.

Hdgrs., A, C, and E, Ft. Niagara, N. Y.; B and H, Ft. Porter, N. Y.; D, F, G, and I, Fort Sidney, Neb.—Indian company.

Capt. Willis Wittich, recruiting officer, Cincinnati, Ohio, will visit the temporary branch rendezvous at Dayton, Ohio, June 6, 13, 20 and 27 (S. O. 121, June 2, Rec. Ser.).

22nd Infantry, Colonel Peter T. Swaine.

Hdgrs., A, B, C, D, F, G, and H, Ft. Keogh, Mont.; E, Fort Pembina, N. D.—Indian company.

Leave for ten days is granted Capt. Wm. H. Kell, recruiting officer (S. O., June 2, H. Q. A.).

23rd Infantry, Colonel John J. Coppinger.

Hdgrs., A, C, E, F, G and H, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.; B and D, Ft. Bliss, Tex.

The C. O. Fort Sam Houston, Tex., will send a detachment of 25 enlisted men of Co. G, under command of 1st Lieut. Stephen O'Connor, to Camp at Carrizo, Tex., for temporary duty (S. O. 63, June 5, D. Tex.).

24th Infantry, Colonel Zenas R. Bliss.

Hdgrs., D, E, F and G, Ft. Bayard, N. M.; A, B, C and H, Ft. Huachuca, A. T.

S. O. 72, c. s., D. Ariz., granting leave for one month to 1st Lieut. George S. Cartwright, with permission to apply for an extension of three months, is amended to authorize him to avail himself thereof about Aug. 1 (S. O. 83, May 29, D. Ariz.).

25th Infantry, Colonel Andrew S. Burt.

Hdgrs., F, G, and H, Ft. Missoula, Mont.; A and D, Ft. Custer, Mont.; B, C, and E, Ft. Buford, N. D.

Leave for three months, to take effect on or about July 10, is granted Col. Andrew S. Burt (S. O., June 3, H. Q. A.).

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Courts-martial.

The following courts have been ordered:

At Fort Leavenworth, Kas., June 5. Detail: Capt. Hugh G. Brown, 12th Inf.; Samuel M. Swigert, 21 Cav.; Edw. L. Randall, 6th Inf.; John F. Stretch, 10th Inf.; Samuel L. Woodward, 10th Cav.; and Wm. H. Carter, 6th Cav.; 1st Lt. Carter P. Johnson, 10th Cav.; 2d Lieut. Edwin L. Phillips, 6th Cav.; and Warren B. Fox, 10th Cav.; and 2d Lieut. Oren B. Myer, 2d Cav., J. A. (S. O. 55, May 31, D. Mo.).

1st Lieut. Lucius L. Durfee, 10th Inf., is relieved from duty as J. A. of the G. C. M. convened at Fort D. A. Russell, Wyo., and 1st Lieut. Edward Chynoweth, 17th Inf., is detailed as J. A. of that court (S. O. 50, May 31, D. Platte.).

At Fort Omaha, Neb., June 5. Detail: Capt. Charles A. Dempsey, Sidney E. Clark, Horace B. Sarson and John Kinzie, 1st Lieut. Frederick T. Van Liew, 2d Lieut. Edwin V. Bookmiller, Leonard M. Prince and Wm. J. Lutz, 2d Inf., and 1st Lieut. Charles H. Muir, 2d Inf., J. A. (S. O. 50, May 31, D. Platte.).

At Jackson Bks., La., June 12. Detail: Capt. Mason Carter, 5th Inf.; Junius L. Powell, asst. surg.; Henry Romeys and Hobart K. Bailey, 5th Inf.; and Wm. W. Witherspoon, 12th Inf.; 2d Lieut. Frank G. Mauldin, 3d Art., and Lunt Wahl, 5th Inf.; and 1st Lieut. John C. F. Tilson, 5th Inf., J. A. (S. O. 118, June 3, D. East.).

At Fort Thomas, Ky., June 12. Detail: Capt. Wm. H. H. Crowell and Frederick W. Thibaut, 1st Lieut. Bernard A. Byrne, Charles Byrne, adjt., Zerah W. Turrey, A. Q. M., and Elmore F. Taggart, 3d Lieut. Wm. H. Simons and Willard E. Gleason, 6th Inf., and 1st Lieut. Charles G. Morton, 6th Inf., J. A. (S. O. 119, June 5, D. East.).

Military Academy.

The leave granted Cadet Horatio I. Lawrence, 4th Class, is extended until Sept. 1, 1893 (S. O., June 3, H. Q. A.).

PERSONAL ITEMS.

CAPTAIN J. J. READ, U. S. N., is at Mount Holly, N. J.

Mrs. J. H. BULL, wife of Lieutenant Bull, U. S. N., is at 1713 Bath street, Santa Barbara, Cal.

PASSED ASSISTANT SURGEON S. H. GRIFFITH, U. S. Navy, has been visiting in New York at the Holland House.

PAY DIRECTOR RICHARD WASHINGTON, U. S. N., registered at the Grand Hotel, New York City, on Monday of this week.

LIEUTENANT F. J. DRAKE, U. S. N., has left Washington, D. C., for service at the U. S. Naval Exhibit, Jackson Park, Chicago, Ill.

CAPTAIN MERRILL MILLER, U. S. N., has left Portland, Me., under orders to command the receiving ship *Franklin*, at Norfolk, Va.

PAYMASTER THEO. S. THOMPSON, U. S. N., of the *Newark*, made a visit to New York on Wednesday of last week, stopping at the Gilsey House.

ASSISTANT SURGEON F. G. BRATHWAITE, U. S. N., registered at the Murray Hill Hotel on Thursday of last week, and Asst. Surg. M. R. Pigott, U. S. N., at the Grand Union.

LIEUTENANT HOBART L. TREMAIN, U. S. N., who has been residing at Monticello, N. Y., since his retirement in 1891, visited New York last week, stopping at the Grand Hotel.

MEDICAL INSPECTOR J. M. FLINT, U. S. N., visited New York last week with Mrs. Flint, stopping at the Everett. It is over thirty-one years since the doctor entered the service as assistant surgeon on the bark *Ethan Allen*, of the East Gulf Squadron.

LIEUTENANT-COMMANDER E. L. AMORY, U. S. N., on the retired list, continues to reside in Boston, 28 State street. He has many friends in the Navy who will be glad to know that he is in fairly good health.

CIVIL ENGINEER P. C. ASSERSON, U. S. N., has plans underway for many improvements in the New York Navy-yard, and it is hoped that the next Congress will see the necessity of maintaining at least one of our yards in first class condition.

ASSISTANT ENGINEER B. C. BRYAN, U. S. N., was married at Washington, D. C., June 1, to Miss Maria H. McCalmont. P. A. Engr. C. A. Carr, U. S. N., was best man. A reception followed the wedding, and then the married couple left on a trip to last about two months.

JULIUS BLANKENSEE, of No. 1885 Madison avenue, New York City, was arrested June 6, charged with stealing twelve shares of stock of the Security Bank of Minneapolis, worth \$100 each, and a check for \$9,150 from Mrs. Sarah S. Witte, of No. 42 East 53d street, widow of Capt. G. C. Witte, U. S. Navy. Blankensee, who acted as agent and collector for the Witte family, was to have invested the money for the widow. He speculated in Wall street and it was lost.—N. Y. Herald.

CAPTAIN THOMAS O. SELFRIDGE, U. S. N., contributes to the *Cosmopolitan* for June an illustrated article on the contest between the *Merrimac* and the *Cumberland* to which latter vessel he was attached at the time of the fight. He states that there were 110 of the crew of the *Cumberland* killed or wounded, or over 33 per cent. History, he says, can point to no greater sacrifice for the honor of the flag than that made by the *Cumberland*. Without hope of assistance against fearful odds they fought to the end and their ship was their tomb.

SOME "space writer" in the *New York Herald* devotes a column to speculations about a Naval Court-martial at the Brooklyn Navy-yard in which Asst. Engr. Edward L. Beach, of the *Philadelphia*, has made skillful use before a court-martial, of the point raised in the case of Capt. Edw. P. Meeker, Marine Corps. Being called upon to act as counsel for Carpenter Frank S. Sheppard, of the *Philadelphia*, Mr. Beach held that his client was debarred from further punishment for the offence charged against him, because his commanding officer, Capt. Bartlett, had already punished him by refusing him shore leave.

A WASHINGTON, D. C., gossip writes: "Lieut.-Comdr. and Mrs. Richardson Clover close their new residence for a Western trip. After a visit to Chicago they will go through the Yellowstone Park, and then to their ranch at Napa, Cal., to remain until the late autumn. Admiral and Mrs. Worden have left for New York State, where they will spend the summer. Admiral Almy's family will spend the summer at Narragansett Pier. Admiral and Mrs. Hughes will spend the summer at West Point. Gen. Beekman Du Barry's family will spend the summer at West Point."

OF Commodore J. G. Walker, U. S. Navy, a writer in the *New York World*, "U. L. H.," says: "Commo. Walker has strong and commanding qualities and is a leader of men. His position and dominant temperament have created antagonisms and jealousies in the Navy. Nevertheless, when war was expected with Chili the eyes of the Service were on him. No naval officer has been more talked about or charged with more arbitrary and exacting ambitions. As a matter of fact, his most important appointments came to him unsought, and although possessing powerful friends, he has always held and still holds fairly by the ethics of the Service, and has never tried to turn out another man for his own advantage."

THE *Kreuz Zeitung*, under the head "International Reciprocity," says: "Lieut. Vreeland, U. S. Navy, has been appointed naval attaché to the North American legations of Germany, Austria-Hungary and Italy, with a residence in Berlin. He is not the first naval officer of his country in such a position. The government at Washington has for several years been following closely the development of the navies of Europe, and above all with great care here, and as the rapid and intelligent development of their navy shows with much profit. Would this not be the moment, when the German Embassy replaces the Legation at Washington, to on our side return the attention?"

ADMIRAL E. C. HOWARD, of the Argentine Navy, sailed for England last week on the steamship *Campania*.

PAYMASTER J. Q. BARTON, U. S. N., is improving, through he has not yet full control of his affected limbs.

LIEUTENANT WALTER J. SEARS, U. S. N., has been elected on the Board of Managers of the New York Society of the Sons of Revolution.

P. A. ENGINEER STACY PORTS, of the *Newark*, who has been seriously ill with typhoid fever at the New York Hospital, is now convalescing.

SURGEON G. F. WINSLOW and Paymaster H. T. Skelding, U. S. N., are among recent transfers to the California Commandery of the Loyal Legion.

LIEUTENANT H. C. FISHER, M. C., is still under treatment at the Naval Hospital for serious throat difficulties contracted on the *Baltimore*, and his condition remains about the same.

MRS. C. N. OFFLEY and child have gone to Cape May Point for a month's stay, and were joined by Assistant Engineer Offley, of the *Chicago*, for a brief leave previous to his departure for the European station.

PAY INSPECTOR L. G. BILLINGS, U. S. N., was admitted for treatment at the New York Naval Hospital recently, having for some unknown cause become unconscious in the Navy Pay Office, N. Y., where he is on duty.

REAR ADMIRAL GEO. E. BELKNAP, Comdr. C. D. Sigbee, Lieut. J. B. Briggs, S. A. Staunton, A. N. Wood, Civil Engr. A. G. Menocal, Surg. Geo. E. H. Harmon and Paymaster H. C. Machette registered at the Navy Department last week.

CHIEF ENGINEER MILLIGAN, of the Naval Examining Board in Philadelphia spent the past week in Annapolis with his family and witnessed the exercises of the Naval Academy graduation. He returned to Philadelphia the first of the present week.

REAR ADMIRAL AMMEN will remain at Ammen-dale, his country residence, near Washington, D. C., until some time later in the season, when he will take a turn through the Northern States and return in time to put his house in order for the winter.

A RECENT letter from the *Mohican*, at Port Townsend, Washington, gives glowing accounts of the reception accorded the ship by every town so far visited. The *Bering Sea* fleet is expected to sail in a short time for the seat of war, and all hands anticipate some lively experience: the coming season. All well in the fleet at last date.

ASSISTANT NAVAL CONSTRUCTOR W. J. BAXTER, U. S. N., was at the Navy Department last week in consultation with the various heads of the bureau concerning affairs at the Norfolk Navy-yard. Much complaint is being made on account of the vile water furnished by the artesian wells with which the yard is supplied, and an attempt will be made to remedy the trouble in some way.

LIEUTENANT-COMMANDER R. CLOVER, U. S. N., who has been in command of the Hydrographic Office, Washington, D. C., turned the same over to his successor, Comdr. C. D. Sigbee, on May 31. Lieut.-Comdr. Clover has during his term as Chief Hydrographer done much in the way of advancing the value of the work of his office.

THE marriage of Miss Marie Williamson, daughter of Chief Engr. Thom Williamson, U. S. N., to Mr. Wm. Carvel Hall, of Baltimore, took place in St. John's Church, Washington, D. C., June 3. The Rev. Dr. Mackay Smith officiated, and the best man was Mr. Arthur Robinson. At the conclusion of this ceremony a reception followed at the residence of the bride's parents on Rhode Island avenue.

LIEUTENANT W. H. TURNER, of the U. S. S. *Newark*, was in New York last week and registered at the Sturtevant. That he is still a lieutenant shows how slow moving now is the procession of naval promotion. Wm. B. Cushing, who, in 1865 held Lieut. Turner's present number on the list of lieutenants, had been but eight years in the Service and the senior lieutenant commander had been but twenty-six years in the Service. Lieut. Turner is now in the twenty-ninth year of his service.

THE Duke of Veragua, whose visit has of late been somewhat overshadowed by that of the Infanta, is near at the end of his stay, and after a short visit to Niagara Falls, will come to New York and sail for Spain.

LIEUTENANT L. W. CORNISH, 5th U. S. Cav., who has been visiting his brother-in-law, Lieut. S. P. Vestal, 5th U. S. Cav., at Ft. Leavenworth, left on June 1 for Ft. Supply, I. T., taking his mother-in-law, Mrs. Ketcham, with him. He has been ordered to Eagle Pass, Tex., to act as Q. M.

As Wm. W. WOTHERSPOON, of the 12th U. S. Infantry, wet his commission as captain some time since he has ceased to be "Lieut. Wotherespoon." Capt. Wotherespoon has had the good fortune to secure his captaincy after a service of twenty years, a sufficiently long probation, without doubt, but shorter than that to which many officers are obliged to submit.

PRIVATE CHAS. BAKER, a member of the provost guard at Ft. Leavenworth, committed suicide by shooting himself through the heart with a 44 calibre Colt's revolver on the morning of June 1. It is thought his mind was deranged on account of his recent sickness. Baker was 45 years old, and had served in Troop K of the 6th and I of the 3d Cav.

MAJOR S. T. CUSHING has taken temporary charge of the subsistence office in Kansas City, Mo., and as soon as relieved by Capt. Nye will go to Omaha. His chief clerk, Adolf Wernher and Messenger Frank Kinerney go with him. The breaking up of the depot at Ft. Leavenworth dissolves long associations among some of the employees. Mr. Wernher has been a clerk in the department for 25 years, while Mr. Kinerney, the father of Frank, has been employed there since 1861. Patrick Buckley has been doing duty there since 1865, while Joe Farrell has held down the berth since 1870.—K. C. Times.

LIEUTENANT J. M. T. PANTILLO, 5th U. S. Infantry, visited in Sandusky, O., this week.

LIEUTENANT L. W. CORNISH, 5th U. S. Cavalry, is a recent arrival at Camp Eagle Pass, Texas.

MAJOR LAFAYETTE E. CAMPBELL, U. S. A., visited old friends at San Antonio, Texas, last week.

CAPTAIN F. D. BALDWIN, U. S. A., of Maj.-Gen. Miles's staff, is spending a few weeks leave in New Mexico.

LIEUTENANT J. R. WILLIAMS, 3d U. S. Artillery, left Washington, D. C., this week on a short leave of absence.

MAJOR THOMAS WILHELM, U. S. A., sailed from New York for England on Saturday on the steamship *Alaska*.

LIEUTENANT F. W. COE, 1st U. S. Artillery, who is visiting relatives in Missouri, will rejoin at Ft. Hamilton next week.

CAPTAIN D. T. WELLS, 25th U. S. Infantry, is preparing to leave Fort Missoula, Mont., to spend the summer on leave.

LIEUTENANT WM. LASSITER, 16th U. S. Infantry, recruiting officer at Knoxville, Tenn., is spending a few weeks on leave.

LIEUTENANT C. F. PARKER, 2d U. S. Artillery, rejoined at Ft. Hamilton, N. Y. H., early in the week from a short leave.

CAPTAIN D. B. WILSON, 25th U. S. Infantry, is preparing to leave Fort Missoula, Mont., to spend the summer on leave.

CAPTAIN D. D. WHEELER, U. S. A., a recent arrival in Chicago, has found many friends to welcome him in that city.

CAPTAIN SAMUEL MCCONNIE, 14th U. S. Infantry, has been called to Troy, N. Y., by the serious illness of his mother.

LIEUTENANT E. S. CURTIS, 2d U. S. Artillery, has relinquished duty at Ft. Preble, Me., to go to his home to await retirement.

ASSISTANT SURGEON C. F. KIEFFER, U. S. A., lately at Ft. Meade, has gone to duty at the Yellowstone National Park for the summer.

MAJOR HENRY WAGNER, 5th U. S. Cavalry, under recent orders, changes base in a few days from Fort Sill, O. T., to Fort Brown, Texas.

GENERAL W. P. CARLIN, U. S. A., has assumed command of the Dept. of the Columbia, with headquarters at Vancouver Barracks.

LIEUTENANT F. G. MAULDIN, 3d U. S. Artillery, was to leave Atlanta, Ga., the latter part of this week, on a short visit to New Orleans.

THE 74th birthday of Queen Victoria, although the anniversary occurred on May 24, was, by formal order, officially celebrated June 3.

MAJOR FRANCIS CLARKE, U. S. A., retired, who is pleasantly situated in Detroit, Mich., celebrated his 68th birthday on Friday of last week.

CAPTAIN F. W. SIBLEY, 2d U. S. Cavalry, who has been spending a short time at San Diego, Cal., has rejoined his troop at Ft. Wingate, N. M.

LIEUTENANT H. J. GOLDMAN, 5th U. S. Cavalry, arrived at Fort Brown, Texas, this week, and took charge of quartermaster and subsistence matters at that post.

CAPTAINS H. B. ROMEYN and W. W. WOTHERSPOON, U. S. A., of Mt. Vernon Barracks, Ala., are expected in New Orleans, La., next week on a short official visit.

CAPTAINS E. S. GODFREY and J. B. BELLINGER, of the Cavalry, recently relieved from recruiting service, will each spend a month on leave before joining their regiments.

CAPTAINS JAS. REGAN and E. B. ROBERTSON, and Lieut. R. H. Anderson and F. H. Albright, 9th U. S. Infantry, of Sackett's Harbor, were expected arrivals at Ft. Niagara, N. Y., the latter part of this week for a season of small arms practice.

CAPTAINS G. G. GREENOUGH and W. F. Stewart, and Lieut. W. P. Stone and Wirt Robinson, with Batteries E and K, 4th U. S. Artillery, arrived at Ft. Monroe, Va., on Monday of this week from Ft. McPherson, Ga.

LIEUTENANT-COLONEL H. C. COOK, 4th U. S. Infantry, on returning from leave will go to Ft. Sherman to take command of the regiment until Col. Robert H. Hall, at present at the State Camp at Peekskill, N. Y., joins for duty.

THE General Court-martial for the trial of Lieutenant B. P. Schenck, 12th U. S. Infantry, organized at Ft. Yates, N. D., on Tuesday of this week, with Lieut.-Col. J. H. Page, 22d Infantry, as President, and Lieutenant J. C. Waterman, 8th Cavalry, as Judge Advocate.

MANY in New York and vicinity will be glad to know that Lieut.-Col. H. M. Robert, Corps of Engineers, U. S. A., now at Nashville, will shortly establish his office in the Army Building, New York City, and take charge of the duties which devolved upon the late Col. D. C. Houston.

LIEUTENANT E. WITENMYER, 9th U. S. Infantry, who, in addition to his line of duties at Plattsburg Barracks, has been looking after the Medical Department there for some time past, has been relieved of that staff duty by Capt. H. O. Perley, Assistant Surgeon.

MR. E. V. BENEDICT, of New York City, was married May 24 at the Cathedral, Nottingham, England, to Miss Jeanette Halford, daughter of Maj. E. Halford, Paymaster U. S. A. The party came over from Paris, France, to be married in the Cathedral, as the bride's grandmother was married there many years ago. The married couple were expected to arrive in New York from abroad this week. The *Capital* says: "Major Halford is an Englishman. He was guilty of little else, however, than being born in that country, as his parents brought him to the land of the free and the home of the immigrant when he was a baby."

LIEUTENANT G. N. WHISTLER, 1st U. S. Art., is at Eaglewood, N. J.

COLONEL C. C. GILBERT, U. S. A., retired, has left Louisville, Ky., for Chicago, Ill.

CAPTAIN F. W. SIBLEY, 2d U. S. Cav., has arrived at Fort Wingate from San Diego.

COLONEL J. F. HEAD, U. S. A., retired, is reported at 79 Sachem street, New Haven, Conn.

LIEUTENANT F. S. WILD, 17th U. S. Inf., recently at Fort Leavenworth, is at Rogers Park, Ill.

LIEUTENANT M. B. STOKES, 10th U. S. Inf., has left Santa Fe, N. M., for Early Branch, S. C.

CAPTAIN J. H. BALDWIN, U. S. A., retired, recently at Georgetown, D. C., is now at Jackson, Va.

MAJOR THEO. J. WINT, 10th Cav., and Lt. W. H. Cowles, 10th Inf., registered at the War Department last week.

CAPTAIN T. M. McDUGAL, U. S. A., retired, has left Washington, D. C., for Atlantic City, N. J., staying at the Imperial Hotel at that place.

LIEUTENANT P. P. POWELL, 9th U. S. Cav., who is on duty at the Peekskill Military Academy, N. Y., suffered a loss of \$200 on his household goods, etc., by a fire in his cottage there May 31. It was only through the heroic conduct of the cadets that the building was saved.

COLONEL T. M. ANDERSON will attend the Loyal Legion Tri-annual Congress in St. Paul as a delegate from the Oregon Commandery. The other delegates from that commandery are Companions Parkins and La Rue. Col. Anderson will also be a delegate to the congress of the Sons of the American Revolution, which meets in Chicago June 10. Quite a delegation of the American sons will attend the American meeting.

A SUCCESSFUL amateur entertainment was given at the pretty theatre at Fort Assiniboine, Mont., on Tuesday night, May 30. "The Company's Husbands," a sketch of the early season, was particularly well played by Mrs. John Bigelow, Jr., Miss William Miles, Mrs. Niskern, Capt. Reynolds and Lt. Niskern. The success of this play was largely due to Capt. Reynolds as manager. After the play there was dancing, followed by a delicious supper.

MAJOR C. S. ILSLEY, 9th Cavalry, came in from Fort Robinson recently on his way East for a little trip. One of the first visits Major Ilsley always makes when he strikes Omaha is to a bookstore, in this case to Chase and Eddy's, where he loads up on new books, with a particular eye to anything that has to do with India and Ceylon, countries with which he is very familiar. Major Ilsley is a great admirer of Bishop Hurst's book, "Indika."—Omaha Recorder.

CAPTAIN CHARLES KELLER, 2d U. S. Infantry, in charge of the Post Exchange at Fort Omaha, is noted as saying in a recent interview with a newspaper reporter: "In my opinion intoxication is decreasing in the Army, and principally because of the sentries. Here we have the men completely under our control, and as soon as a man gets a glass too much he is sent to his quarters. If he objects he is under arrest. Isn't that better than having him wander around the streets of Omaha, yelling as a Comanche and then finally land in jail?"

THE Durango Herald devotes some space to praise Lieut. Edward H. Plummer, 10th U. S. Infantry, a brave and gallant young Navajo Indian agent, for his recent actions in the late Indian trouble on the San Juan, and says: "How different from all agents who have had charge of these people for the last 20 years. He is the only one who has been in a part of the reservation for 15 years. The Indians have grown insolent and arrogant by not being kept in this place stock and life will be safe as anywhere. The people should with one accord sound the praise of this officer of the Army who has done so much for them. He has dared to fight not having any fear of losing his official and a paltry office. He does all this work for extra pay. His hands want to be strengthened every man in this country."

THE June number of the *Reveille*, published by the Academy Lyceum, has a description of an incident of the Wounded Knee fight, near Pine Ridge Agency, by Lieut. Powell. Speaking of this officer the Military Notes of the *Reveille* says: "The Peekskill Military Academy is most fortunate in having as a man as Col. Powell for its commandant, and the colonel is to be congratulated on the fine appearance of the corps of cadets he commands. Only a few days since the trustees of the Academy inspected the buildings, rooms and the battalion, witnessed a ball game, and afterwards saw the parade drill. They have for a number of years seen the development of the military system of training, and have carefully observed their proficiency drill; but they said, after the inspection was over they have never known the corps of cadets in better condition. The Inspector-General of the U. S. Army will pay us a visit about May 25, for the purpose of inspecting the arms and accoutrements. It is hoped we will give him a much more favorable impression than last year."

THE Buffalo Courier says: "The fascination of military life cannot be measured. Everyone at some time has come under the spell of brass buttons. In military life a military man will carry off all the pretensions, and when he marries he may take his wife. Ten to one that choice will be a favorite, popular with everyone, and probably she will have the chance to become the wife of a millionaire. Live in luxury all her days. But the soldier's life along, tells her he loves her, that she'll have to live in barracks, perhaps on Western plains with the Indians, with mighty little society and luxuries. She gives one look at his coat of Army blue, and says 'yes.' The large and elegant audience who gathered to hear Mrs. Margaret Larkie at Luke's Guild House, recently, followed her through hardships which in any other life would be deemed unbearable, but which under the magic touch of terms as hard-tack, dress parade, reveille, taps, were simply incidents in a ceremonious spectacular existence."

CAPTAIN J. H. COSTER, U. S. A., retired, has left New York City for Maplewood Farm, Stamford, Conn.

BREVET LIEUTENANT COLONEL C. BENTZONI, 1st U. S. Inf., was at last accounts at the Cliff Hotel, Manhattan, Col.

CAPTAIN T. H. ECKERSON, 19th U. S. Inf., has left Bay City for Alpena, Mich., on special regimental recruiting service.

LIEUTENANT F. L. WINN, 1st U. S. Inf., is at Point Pleasant, W. Va., where he arrived a few days ago from the Pacific Coast.

BREVET MAJOR GENERAL S. VAN VLIET has left Washington, D. C., for the summer, which he will spend at Shrewsbury, N. J.

Mrs. H. B. LOCKWOOD, who has many friends in Army and Navy circles, has left Baltimore for "The Plimpton," Watch Hill, R. I.

MAJOR J. P. KIMBALL, Medical Department U. S. A., has left New York City for South Portland, Me., where he is stopping at the Mansion.

CADET BUTLER AMES, U. S. M. A., has left West Point for a two months' visit at Lowell, Mass. His address at that place is care of General A. Ames.

COLONEL BARNITZ and family leave Washington this week for their summer home. Their youngest daughter, Blanche, has just graduated from Mount Vernon Seminary, in that city.

COLONEL ASA BIRD GARDINER, U. S. A., read a paper on "The Provincial Troops at the Capture of Havana in 1762," before the New York Historical Society on Tuesday evening of this week.

CAPTAIN HENRY ROBEY, 5th U. S. Inf., delivered a very graceful and appropriate address at Memorial Day services held in the Federal Cemetery, at Mobile, Ala., May 30, under the auspices of Post 11, Grand Army of the Republic, of Alabama.

THE crowning achievement in newspaper art is the picture of Gen. Grant on horseback, which appears in the New York Herald of last Sunday. The Herald has had the forethought to label it; otherwise it would unquestionably be taken for the picture of the leader of a St. Patrick's Day procession, mounted upon the gentle but useful beast doing daily service in the thills of his drayman's cart.

THE citizens of Brookline, Mass., have presented to the town a memorial portrait of Gen. Edward A. Wild, a native of Brookline who saw service as a surgeon in the Turkish Army during the Crimean war, and enlisting in the Federal Service at the outbreak of our civil war, rose to be a brigadier-general. Gen. Wild died August 23, 1891, in Colombia, South America, where he had gone to make a railroad survey.

AMONG the officers of the Volunteer Service, the following draw the monthly pensions named, viz: Secretary of State Walter G. Gresham, \$30; Senator Manderson, \$15; Congressman J. C. Black, \$100; Congressman N. M. Curtis, \$30; Gen. Joseph B. Carr, \$22.50; Judge Calvin E. Pratt, \$30; Geo. S. Battonell, ex-Minister to Portugal, \$30; Ex-Gov. Fairchild, ex-Gov. Beaver, \$45; Gen. Franz Sigel, \$100; Gen. N. P. Banks, \$100; Gen. Julius H. Stahl, \$30; Gen. Neal Dow, \$7.50; Ex-Gov. Chase, of Indiana, \$12, and Ex-Gov. Oglesby, of Illinois, \$8 (as a Mexican veteran).

LIEUTENANT COLONEL GUY V. HENRY, of the 7th Cavalry, has forwarded to the Secretary of War, with a vigorous endorsement, the complaint of Capt. James M. Bell, of the 7th, against the interference of a cable gripman with the cavalry escort to the Infanta of Spain. Col. Henry says: "It is a positive disgrace to the National Capital that on occasions of ceremony no respect is paid to troops or persons by these gripmen and conductors, who on these occasions as well as others act as if they owned the city. An example should be made in the order of decency, propriety and safety." Very true, but of what account is a cavalry colonel, or a Spanish Princess, compared with a gripman?

THE Philadelphia Times bestows very high praise upon the review of the Cheltenham Military Academy at Ogontz, of which J. C. Rice is principal. Those who are competent to judge declare that particular drill was by all odds the best ever given at the Academy, which is a substantial compliment to Maj. R. H. McLean, (late lieutenant U. S. Navy) the commanding officer of the battalion. The major has seen twenty years of regular service, and the drilling of the boys under his training would do credit to any body of regulars. The reviewing officer was Assistant Adjutant General of the State, Col. Alexander Krumbhaar. He was assisted by Gen. D. H. Hastings, the present head of the Military Committee of the school; Col. O. C. Bosbyshell, Capt. Thomas Potter, Jr., Col. J. H. Merrill, Gen. N. B. Switzer, U. S. A., and Adj. E. Ellis. General Switzer made the trip from Washington for the occasion, and returned on the next train.

CHAPLAIN RITNER is now in Philadelphia, on leave of absence, visiting his mother, who is advanced in years and has been seriously ill. On the morning of the last Sunday in May he preached to his former congregation, the Eleventh Baptist Church of Philadelphia. The audience room was filled to its utmost capacity by those who during the nearly eighteen years of his ministry among them had looked up to him as their leader and adviser. At the close of the service these friends crowded around their former pastor and vied with each other in the expression of their great delight in seeing him once more among them. On the following Tuesday, May 30, Chaplain Ritner and his comrades of George G. Meade Post No. 1, G. A. R., in which he had served as chaplain for the nine years preceding his appointment as an Army chaplain, and with them proceeded to Laurel Hill Cemetery and participated in the decoration services, offering a special prayer at the grave of Gen. Meade, the Russian and Austrian naval officers being the special guests of Meade Post on that occasion. The ceremonies being ended, Chaplain Ritner was escorted to the Union League Building where a reception and banquet was given him by the comrades of Meade Post, at which appropriate addresses were delivered by various eminent individuals and members of the post who were present on that notable occasion.

GENERAL GEORGE D. RUGGLES, U. S. A., visited friends in New York City and at Governor's Island this week.

LIEUTENANT S. W. MILLER, 5th U. S. Infantry, on leave from St. Francis Bks., Fla., is visiting at Huntington, Pa.

LIEUTENANT COLONEL E. V. SUMNER, 8th U. S. Cavalry, registered at the Gilsey House, New York City, last week.

LIEUTENANT C. DEL. HINE, 6th U. S. Infantry, of Newport Bks., is a recent graduate in law at Cincinnati with high honors.

Mrs. AND MISS O'CONNELL, wife and daughter of Capt. O'Connell, 1st U. S. Infantry, are expected to visit friends in Buffalo, N. Y., during the month of June.

MAJOR STEPHEN W. GROESBECK, Judge Advocate U. S. A., of Maj. Miles's staff, visited New York City last week, making his headquarters at the Murray Hill Hotel.

ADVICES from Fort Niagara, N. Y., May 26, announce that the 21st Infantry have made arrangements to give their friends an excursion to Toronto, Wednesday, June 7.

LIEUTENANT CHARLES SATTERLEE, 31 U. S. Artillery, will leave Atlanta, Ga., early next week, for Mobile, Ala., to attend the encampment of troops of that State from June 12 to 19.

MR. GEORGE I. PUTNAM, formerly an officer of the Army and now engaged in literary pursuits, is the author of a recent Army novel, "In Blue Uniform," brought out by Charles Scribner's Sons of New York City.

A FAREWELL concert was given recently at San Antonio in honor of Mrs. W. H. Fox, sister of Mrs. Wheaton. Mrs. Fox has been visiting Gen. and Mrs. Wheaton since last November and now comes to her home in the North.

LIEUTENANT WENDELL SIMPSON, 9th U. S. Infantry, has taken charge of the Post Exchange at Madison Barracks in succession to Lieut. Carl Reichmann, who goes on leave until he joins at the Infantry and Cavalry School.

LIEUTENANT JOHN F. MORRISON, 30th U. S. Infantry, an honor graduate of 1885 of the Infantry and Cavalry School, has been appointed regimental quartermaster, in succession to James A. Irons, recently promoted captain.

CAPTAIN JAMES PARKER, 4th U. S. Cavalry, started this week, with his troop from the Presidio of San Francisco, to the Sequoia National Park for duty during the summer. Asst. Surg. Chas. Willcox accompanied the troop as medical officer.

THE Regular Army is represented in the newly-elected officers of the Oregon Commandery of the Military Order of the Loyal Legion for 1893 by Captain J. A. Sladen, retired, as Junior Vice Commander, and Major F. M. Cox, Pay Department, and Major J. W. French, 14th Inf., as members of the Council.

THE National Guard of New York are fortunate in having detailed for service at the State Encampment at Peekskill this summer so able an officer as Col. Robert Henry Hall, 4th U. S. Infantry. The Colonel arrived at the State Camp, Peekskill, N. Y., this week for duty, and was accorded a hospitable reception by the State officials.

THE children of the Ft. Leavenworth public school held a picnic at Pope's Lake last week, which was well patronized. Capt. Pope, commandant of the prison, kindly furnished everything to make the affair a great success. After dress parade at the post, the 12th Infantry Band, under the leadership of Prof. Greissinger, played a few selections, and then there was dancing on the grassy ward.

LIEUTENANT M. A. BATSON, 9th U. S. Cavalry, was married at Newark, N. J., June 2, to Miss Price, of that city. We regret to learn that while Lieuts. W. C. Rafferty, G. H. Macdonald and F. D. Webster, of the Army, and Ensign H. B. Wilson, of the Navy, who were ushers at the wedding, were driving to the railroad station the horses ran away and threw them out. Dr. Wilson was badly out and bruised and one of his knees was dislocated. Lieut. Webster was out about the head and legs and the uniforms of Lieuts. Rafferty and Macdonald were ruined.

ORDNANCE SERGEANT ROBERT WILLIAMS, of Vancouver Barracks, is the only living man who assisted in the famous defence of the Block House, Columbia River, on the Washington side of the Cascades, against several hundred Indians in 1859. In regard to that memorable event, as will be remembered, they were rescued by Col. Steptoe with four companies of Infantry, a troop of dragoons and a company of artillery from the Dalles, followed an hour later by Gen. Sheridan, then Lieut. Sheridan, with Co. H, 4th Infantry, from Vancouver Barracks.

A CORRESPONDENT of the Newport, R. I., Journal returns acknowledgments to Col. Geo. H. Elliot, Corps of Engineers, for his generous thoughtfulness in setting up at his own expense a wall around the grave of Jahleel Brenton in the open grounds of Fort Adams. The land where now stands Fort Adams, and all its adjuncts, and all the southern portion of the island, once belonged to the Brenton family, Brenton's Point and Brenton's Cove being a part of the estate. Jahleel Brenton, "who died November 9th, 1732, aged 77 years," was the son of the original Governor Wm. Brenton, who came to Boston in 1634 from Hammersmith, England.

THE commanding officer of the 20th U. S. Infantry, in relieving Major W. H. Hamner, paymaster, from duty with the regiment says: "The regimental commander regrets the necessity that calls upon him to relieve this officer from duty with the regiment, but takes pleasure in expressing his appreciation of Major Hamner's zeal, efficiency and ability. His appointment as major in the Pay Department after faithful services to the Government for 35 years in positions of honor and trust is richly deserved. Earnest and conscientious in the discharge of his duties and affable in manner, it is not singular that Major Hamner goes away from the 20th universally regretted."

CAPTAIN P. S. BOMUS, 1st U. S. Cavalry, has returned to Fort Myer from a short leave.

CAPTAIN G. A. DREW, 3d U. S. Cavalry, is on his way North from Texas to spend the summer on leave.

CAPTAIN S. W. FOUNTAIN, 8th U. S. Cavalry, rejoined at Fort Myer, Va., this week, from a short leave of absence.

COLONEL W. LUDLOW, U. S. Engineer Corps, has moved his office from 12 Madison avenue to Telephone Building, Detroit, Mich.

MISS ALICE SMITH, daughter of the late Colonel J. Condit-Smith, of New York, was married June 8 at Washington, D. C., to Mr. Cyrus Field Judson.

LIEUTENANTS W. A. SIMPSON, G. F. E. Harrison and Lotus Niles, 2d U. S. Artillery, all left Fort Adams on Wednesday of this week, on post leave of absence.

CAPTAIN JAMES O'HARA, 3d U. S. Artillery, rejoined at Key West Barracks, on Monday of this week, from a short visit to historic Fort Jefferson, Dry Tortugas.

CAPTAIN F. W. ROZ and L. W. Cooke, 3d U. S. Infantry, left St. Paul with their respective companies, on Thursday of this week, for duty at the World's Fair.

MAJOR-GENERAL NELSON A. MILES, U. S. A., and Mrs. Miles, were among the guests at a breakfast given on Wednesday to the Spanish Infanta by the Mayor of Chicago.

CAPTAIN JESSE C. CHANCE, 13th U. S. Infantry, has closed up his recruiting business at Pittsburg, Pa., and will spend the summer on leave before joining his regiment.

CAPTAIN RICHARD W. JOHNSON, Medical Corps U. S. A., was married at San Francisco, June 1, to Helen Woodburne, daughter of Major Thomas McGregor, 2d U. S. Cavalry.

CAPTAIN IRA QUINBY, 11th Infantry, and Capt. W. L. Sanborn, 25th Infantry, have applied for retirement under the 30 year service act. There are three vacancies on the limited list.

LIEUTENANT W. N. BLOW, JR., 15th U. S. Infantry, has been appointed Regimental Adjutant in succession to Lieutenant William T. May.

CAPTAIN A. H. BOWMAN, 9th U. S. Infantry, commanding of Fort Ontario, Oswego, N. Y., left there this week to spend a few weeks leave in that, at present, very interesting city, Chicago.

CAPTS. W. L. ALEXANDER, C. S. May, C. E. Munn and Capt. M. C. Wyeth, Medical Department; 1st Lieut. G. B. Davis, 5th Inf., and 1st Lieut. C. P. Elliot, 4th Cav., registered at the War Department this week.

COLONEL THOS. F. BARR, Judge Advocate General's Department, U. S. A., who is Vice-President of the National Prison Association, arrived in Chicago this week to attend the annual meeting of that Association, which opened June 7.

No action has yet been taken by the President in the promotion case of J. V. B. Bleeker, U. S. N. It is generally expected, however, that he will be given his promotion notwithstanding that one of the three members reported adversely in his case.

LIEUTENANT-COLONEL HARRY C. EGBERT, 6th U. S. Infantry, was expected to leave Ft. D. A. Russell, Wyo., this week for the East, and will spend the summer on leave and then join the headquarters of his regiment at Ft. Thomas, Ky.

MISS C. A. MERRITT, niece of Captain Romeyn, 5th Infantry, and well known to the ladies of that regiment, has accepted the appointment of Superintendent of the Schools at Navajo Agency, New Mexico, where she will soon report for duty.

The discharged soldier—Gardley—who a little over a year ago raised a check given him by Major J. B. Keefer, Paymaster U. S. A., in liquidation of his final statements, from \$78.44 to \$878.44, was arrested in New York on Thursday and held for examination.

The proceedings of the court martial in the case of Lieut. V. S. Nelson were received at the Navy Department on Wednesday. It is understood that he plead guilty to the charge of drunkenness, and having thrown himself on the mercy of the court a comparatively light sentence is the result.

LIEUTENANT CHAS. H. BARTH, 12th U. S. Infantry, is mentioned to succeed to the regimental adjutancy in a few days, the tour in that position of the present incumbent, Lieut. C. W. Abbot, Jr., having expired. Lieutenant Barth is an honor graduate of the Infantry and Cavalry school.

The following officers registered in New York city this week: Captain J. W. Jacobs, U. S. A., Cosmopolitan Hotel; Major F. Moore, 5th U. S. Cavalry, Grand Union Hotel; Lieut.-Colonel E. Moale, 31 U. S. Infantry, Grand Hotel; Naval Cadets D. M. Berry, J. R. Morris, and J. A. Perry, U. S. N., Sturtevant House; Asst. Engineer W. H. Chambers, U. S. N., Sturtevant House; Lieut. H. S. Cole, U. S. A., Sturtevant House; P. A. Surgeon, J. F. Urie, U. S. A., Hoffman House.

Harper's Weekly, for June 10th, has an account of the trial trip of the *New York* with a picture of the vessel at her greatest burst of speed, and another of the four engines that drove her twenty-one knots an hour. Lieut. Frederick S. Foltz, U. S. Cavalry, has an article entitled "The Revolver in our Army," with illustrations by Frederick Remington. There is also an article on June Days at West Point, with a full page illustration, by Zugbaum, of Light Artillery drill, in battery.

The acceptance test of armor plate furnished by the Bethlehem Iron Works will hereafter be conducted on the proving grounds of this establishment. A Government 10-inch gun has been shipped from the Indian Head Proving Grounds to Bethlehem for this purpose. The company already has a 6-inch and an 8-inch gun of their own. This change will result in considerable saving of time and money.

CAPTAIN H. H. HALL, U. S. A., on leave from Ft. Reno, is visiting at Hillsdale, Mich.

CAPTAIN E. C. GILBREATH, 11th U. S. Infantry, has changed base from Philadelphia to Pittsburg, Pennsylvania.

COLONEL J. J. UPHAM, U. S. A., and Mrs. Upham, have left St. Augustine, Fla., for Milwaukee, Wis., during the summer.

COLONEL W. P. CRAIGHILL, Corps of Engineers, U. S. A., registered at the Hoffman House, New York City, on Monday.

CAPTAIN W. P. VAN NESS, 1st U. S. Artillery, of Governor's Island, N. Y., will spend the months of July and August on leave.

MAJOR W. H. HAMNER, Paymaster, U. S. A., finds his first post of duty in that position in the pleasant city of San Antonio, Texas.

A son of the Archbishop of Canterbury, primate of all England, is a captain in the artillery and an enthusiast in the art of war.

MRS. RUTHERS, wife of Lieut. Geo. W. Ruthers, 8th U. S. Inf., left Ft. Leavenworth for Chicago for her health and to visit her father.

CAPTAIN S. McCONIHIE, 14th U. S. Infantry, of Ft. Leavenworth, was recently called to Troy, N. Y., by the serious illness of his mother.

CAPTAIN W. L. PITCHER, 8th U. S. Infantry, whose latest address is Wyoming avenue, Washington, D. C., will spend the summer on leave.

COLONEL LOOMIS L. LANGDON, 1st U. S. Artillery, Commandant of Ft. Hamilton, N. Y. H., was among the many visitors to West Point this week.

COLONEL H. C. MERRIAM, 7th U. S. Infantry, on leave from Ft. Logan, Col., visited friends in New York and at Governor's Island this week.

COLONEL RICHARD I. DODGE, U. S. A., is located for the summer at his favorite resort, Sackett's Harbor, N. Y., where he has a host of friends.

GENERAL FLAGLER, Chief of Ordnance, has been confined to his room for some days past with a severe attack of rheumatism. Capt. Shaler is acting in his absence.

LIEUTENANT LOYD S. MCCORMICK, 7th U. S. Cavalry, a recent arrival in Philadelphia, Pa., has taken charge of the recruiting rendezvous at 1316 Filbert St., in that city.

GENERAL BRECKINRIDGE, who has been quite ill for some weeks past with a low type of fever, is now convalescent. He has resumed his desk at the War Department.

LIEUTENANT GEO. B. DAVIS, 5th U. S. Infantry, bids good-bye to friends in Annapolis, Md., to go to Ft. Leavenworth to report to Maj. Pope for duty at the Military Prison.

MAJOR J. F. WESTON, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. A., is spending a few weeks in Washington, D. C., before going to San Antonio to report to Gen. Wheaton for duty.

CAPTAIN P. H. ELLIS and Lieuts. A. B. Scott and F. W. Fuger, 13th U. S. Infantry, lately of Fort Sill, are recent additions to the commissioned roster of Fort Reno, O. T.

LIEUTENANT J. C. BEARDSLEY, 8th U. S. Infantry, now on leave from Ft. Washakie has received an extension until July 1 next, when he will leave the Service to engage in civil pursuits.

LIEUTENANT J. E. MAXFIELD, Signal Corps, U. S. Army, after some excellent work in the field on the Rio Grande, was expected to rejoin at Ft. Riley, Kansas, the latter part of this week.

CAPTAIN C. A. H. MACAULEY, U. S. A., Mrs. Macauley and children, on a trip East from Portland, Ore., are visiting Mrs. Macauley's father, Mr. A. T. Lay, at 321 Michigan avenue, Chicago.

MAJOR J. VAN R. HOFF, Surgeon, U. S. A., arrived at West Point on Tuesday of this week, to help examine candidates for admission to the Military Academy, as to their physical qualifications.

COLONEL A. S. BURT, 25th U. S. Infantry, of Fort Mifflin, is expected East in July to remain until October on leave. His many friends in New York City will be glad to see him in their direction.

CAPTAIN WELLS WILLARD, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. A., lately relieved from duty at San Antonio, will spend a few weeks on leave before opening the new Subsistence Depot at Buffalo.

LIEUTENANT J. S. MALLORY, A. D. C. to General Wheaton was at College Station, Tex., this week, where he acts as a judge of a competitive drill by the students at the Agricultural and Mechanical College.

LIEUTENANT COLONEL RICHARD COMBA, 12th U. S. Infantry, relinquished duty at Madison Barracks, N. Y., on Monday of this week, and after a few weeks will join his regiment in the Department of Dakota.

COLONEL W. M. WHERRY, 6th U. S. Infantry, will leave Newport, Ky., towards the end of June to spend the summer on leave. In his absence the command of Newport Barracks, Ky., will devolve upon Capt. T. G. Townsend, 6th Inf.

The class of '85 had a reunion and a merry time of it at the Army mess at West Point on the night of June 3. A caterer was brought up from New York, the dining room was embowered in flowers, and the American ensign was draped over the mantel. Lt. C. DeW. Wilcox, 2d Artillery, the class President, was the master of ceremonies. Among those present were Lieut. John M. Carson, Jr., 5th Cavalry, Post Adjutant; Lieut. Austin H. Brown, 4th Infantry; Lieuts. Holbrook, 7th Cavalry; Devore, 23d Infantry; Barrette, and Hubbard, 31 Artillery; Kuhn of the Engineers; Forsyth, 6th Cavalry; Curtis, 2d Artillery; Biddle, 14th Infantry; Brooks, 4th Artillery; F. A. Cook, Washington; F. W. Carnahan, Knoxville, Tenn.; Lieut. Charles F. Parker, 1st Artillery, and George I. Putnam, the well-known magazine writer.

THE NAVY

HILARY A. HERBERT, Secretary of the Navy.
WILLIAM MCADOO, Assistant Secretary.

NAVAL VESSELS IN COMMISSION.

WHEN AND WHERE LAST HEARD FROM.

N. Atlantic Station.—R.—Adml. A. E. K. Benham.

SAN FRANCISCO, flagship, 2d rate, 12 guns, Captain J. C. Watson. At New York. Undergoing repairs.

ATLANTA, 2d rate, 8 guns, Capt. F. J. Higginson. Capt. J. R. Bartlett ordered to command, per steamer of May 23. Arrived at Greytown May 27.

MIANTONOMO, monitor, 2d rate, 4 guns, Captain Montgomery Seward, comd'g. At New York.

VESUVIUS, 4th rate, 3 guns, dynamite cruiser, Lt. Seaton Schroeder, comd'g. Lieut. C. K. Curtis will be ordered to command. At Portsmouth, N. H., for repairs.

KEARSARGE, 3d rate, 7 guns, Comdr. A. S. Crowlinshead. At Portsmouth, N. H., for repairs.

European Station.—A.—R.—Adml. Henry Erben.

CHICAGO, 2d rate, 14 guns, flagship, Capt. A. T. Mahan. At New York. Will be repaired at the Brooklyn Navy Yard, and with either the *Concord*, *Yorktown* or *Bennington* will sail for the Mediterranean some time in June.

S. Atl. Station.—Actg.—R.—Adml. O. E. Stanton assigned to command.

The mail matter for ships on this station should be addressed "Care of the United States Consul, Montevideo, Uruguay, or care of E. F. Stevens, 4 Trafalgar Square, London." Letters sent to Rio Janeiro are frequently subjected to very long delays, owing to fumigation and other reasons.

NEWARK, flagship, 2d rate, 12 guns. Captain S. W. Terry. En route with caravels to Gaspar Point, Canada. Will return to Norfolk for repairs.

YANTIC, 4th rate, 4 guns. Lieut.-Comdr. H. W. Lyon. Montevideo, Uruguay, June 9.

Pacific Station.—Acting Rear Admiral J. S. Skerrett.

Address all mail to Navy Pay Office, San Francisco, Cal., unless otherwise noted. Mail for Behring Sea fleet should be addressed to Sittka via Port Townsend, Washington, until further orders.

ADAMS, 3d rate. Comdr. Thomas Nelson. At Honolulu, H. I., April 20.

ALLIANCE, 3d rate, 6 guns, Comdr. W. H. Whiting. Arrived at Corinto, Nicaragua, June 1.

BOSTON, flagship, 2d rate, 8 guns, Captain B. B. Day. At Honolulu, H. I. Will proceed to Mare Island to be docked as soon as relieved.

MOHICAN, 3d rate, 10 guns, Comdr. Nicol Ludlow. Sailed from Port Townsend May 30 for Bering Sea.

RANGER, 3d rate, Commander E. Longnecker. Left Port Townsend May 31 for Bering Sea.

THEWIS, 3d rate, 3 machine guns. Lieut. Comdr. C. T. Hutchins. At Mare Island, Cal., repairing.

MONTEREY.—Coast defence vessel, 4 guns. Capt. Louis Kempff, comd'g. At San Francisco.

Left Mare Island for trial trip May 27, returning May 30.

There is no truth in the report that the *Monterey* has been ordered to Puget Sound.

PHILADELPHIA, 2d rate, 12 guns. Capt. A. S. Barker. At New York Navy-yard, May 30, repairing. Will sail early in June for the Pacific Station.

CHARLESTON, 2d rate, 8 guns, Captain Henry F. Pickens. At Norfolk Navy-yard to undergo repairs preliminary to return to Pacific station. Will sail about July 1.

Asiatic Station.—Rear Adml. John Irwin.

Address all mail Yokohama, Japan.

ALERT, 3d rate, 4 guns. Comdr. G. M. Book. Ordered back to Seoul, Corea, from Shanghai June 5.

LANCASTER, 2d rate, 10 guns, flagship, Capt. A. H. McCormick. Left Kobe for Yokohama May 1.

MONOQUOIR, 3d rate, 8 guns, Comdr. F. M. Barber. Arrived at Hankow June 6.

MARION, flagship, 3d rate, 8 guns. Comdr. C. V. Gridley. At Shanghai May 30.

BALTIMORE, flagship, 2d rate, 10 guns, Capt. W. R. Bridgman. At New York Navy-yard May 27. Will be repaired at Brooklyn Navy yard and ordered to China as flagship of the Asiatic Station.

Apprentice Training Squadron.

PORTSMOUTH, 19 guns, Comdr. C. J. Barclay. Arrived at Newport June 6.

RICHMOND, 3d rate, 14 guns. Capt. F. M. Bunde. At Newport, R. I. (Receiving ship for boys).

MINNESOTA, 19 guns. Receiving ship for boys. Captain J. R. Bartlett. At dock foot of West 9th street, N. Y. City. P. O. Station G, New York.

MONONGAHELA, Comdr. T. A. Lyons. At Newport, R. I.

On Special Service.

AND AWAITING ASSIGNMENT

CONSTELLATION, 10 guns (practice ship of Navy Academy). Comdr. C. M. Chester. Sailed from Annapolis for practice cruises of cadets June 6. A carrier pigeon reached the Naval Academy June 7, bearing a message to Capt. Paythian from the *Constellation*, reporting that while getting up anchor in Chesapeake Bay early on June 7, Seaman T. Gilkey got his head jammed between the end of a capstan bar and a stanchion, crushing his skull and killing him instantly. He was an excellent man, an apprentice and leaves a widow and a child only 15 days old living in Brooklyn, N. Y. The body was brought to the Naval Academy by the tug *Standish*. Funeral ceremonies were held at Annapolis and the burial took place in the Naval Cemetery. The *Constellation* proceeded on her course toward Hampton Roads. She will visit Lisbon and return to Annapolis by Sept. 1 by way of Madeira.

Mail for *Constellation* should be addressed care R. Stevens, London, until further orders.

ENTERPRISE, 3d rate, 6 guns. Lt.-Comdr. J. Meiry. At New York.

VARIOUS NAVAL ITEMS.

LIEUTENANT W. KILBURN, U. S. N., registered at the Everett House, New York City, June 7.

ASSISTANT ENGINEER T. F. CARTER, U. S. N., has completed his examination for Passed Assistant Engineer—more than a year overdue—and is now at Spring Station, Ky., where he will enjoy the balance of his leave with his family.

SECRETARY HERBERT JUNE 8 directed the discharge of fourteen employees from the Brooklyn Navy Yard, and has decided that the offices held by the displaced clerks shall not be refilled.

CIVIL ENGINEER R. E. PEARY, U. S. N., was in New York this week at the Hotel Bartholdi making final preparations for his second trip to the Arctic regions. He intends to start the last of June on the steamer *Falcon*, which has been built for the trip. It is expected Mrs. Peary will accompany the party.

The manuscript for this year's annual, from the Naval Intelligence office, is about completed, and will be sent to the printers at an early date. The publication will be confined entirely to a report on last year's English naval maneuvers and this year's naval rendezvous and review in our own waters.

It is understood that the Navy Department has in contemplation the establishment of a naval training station on the Pacific coast for apprentice boys. Congress having increased the number of boys from 750 to 1,500, it is thought desirable to have a portion of the increase enlisted on the Pacific coast.

The U. S. S. *Philadelphia*, on May 31, arrived at the Navy-yard, Brooklyn, and Admiral Gherardi's flag was dropped. On June 1 Comm. Erben hoisted down his flag and turned the yard over to the command of Admiral Gherardi. Rear Admiral Erben has hoisted his flag on the *Chicago* as commandant of the European Squadron.

NAVAL CADET JOHN T. TOMPKINS, of Louisiana, first class, has been arrested for disrespect to Superintendent Pythian, of the Naval Academy, and sent on board the *Constitution*, he having as chairman of the committee on the June ball refused to follow the custom of inviting the wife of the Superintendent to receive on the night of the ball.

The following Naval officers registered at the Navy Department this week: Commander R. B. Bradford, Lieut.-Comdr. W. L. Field, Lieut. T. H. Stevens, P. W. Hourigan, S. A. Staunton, Ensigns T. P. Magruder and J. R. Edie, Naval Constructors F. T. Bowler and Naval Cadets F. H. Clark, F. B. Upham, D. C. Nutting, C. E. Fitob, F. A. Traut, L. H. Gross, A. S. McLemore.

A DISPATCH dated Milwaukee, Wis., May 31, says: "The engagement is announced to-day of Miss Edith L. Abbot, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Abbot, to Dr. Deputay McCormick of the Navy, (Passed Assistant Surgeon A. M. D. McCormick, U. S. Navy.) Dr. McCormick, who spent a few days in the city last week, is a member of an old Virginia family. He met Miss Abbot at Fort Monroe."

The trial of the gunboat *Machias*, which was set for Tuesday, June 6, has been postponed. It was expected to take place Saturday of this week. The postponement is said to be due to an unexpected delay in arranging the necessary details for marking the course over which the run is to be made. The vessel and the trial board are at New London, Conn., and the trial will take place in Long Island Sound. On June 7 a dispatch states: The *Machias* made a run over the course. No effort was made to force her, but she easily made thirteen knots under a natural draught.

The Berlin correspondent of the *New York Herald* says: "The officers of the *Kaiserin Augusta*, who have just returned from New York, have had an opportunity to study the big new American cruiser. Some of them have even written newspaper articles about them. Some have been enabled to see the remarkable workshops of Messrs. Cramp and Sons at Philadelphia. They will certainly bear testimony that in the interests of our Navy it would be very desirable to watch carefully and follow out the development of the American Navy and that of the country itself."

SUPERINTENDENT J. C. Mendenhall, of the U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey Office, Washington, D. C., says the Tide Tables for the Atlantic Coast of the United States, together with 207 stations on the Atlantic Coast of British America, for the year 1894, published by the U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey, are now ready for issue, and copies can be obtained at the Agencies of the Survey in this city, or by addressing the office at Washington. Price twenty-five cents. It is a most useful work, and should be in the hands of all professional navigators and yachtsmen.

The case of Commander Wood was disposed of this week. It is understood that the Board's finding is unfavorable to his promotion. Comdr. Woodward comes before the Retiring Board next week. He will undoubtedly be retired. The Retiring Board has completed the examination of Chief Engineer Magee, Lieuts. French and Salter, and it is understood that all three have been recommended for retirement. The initiative has also been taken toward providing two additional vacancies in the Marine Corps. 1st Lieut. Henry O. Fisher, who was found physically disqualified for promotion three months ago, will be re-examined next week, and it is said that his retirement will surely follow. This will bring Lieut. English in for promotion. His physical condition is such that his retirement is also looked for. The board for the examination of Lieut. Fisher consists of Major P. C. Pope, Captains W. S. Muse and D. P. Manox, and Lieut. C. A. Doyen recorder. It will meet at the Marine Barracks on Thursday next.

NAVY GAZETTE.

Ordered.

JUNE 3—Lieutenants C. B. T. Moore, E. E. Wright, Edward Simpson and H. C. Gearing and Ensign H. H. Whitley, to hold themselves in readiness for orders to the Newark.

P. A. Surgeon S. S. White, to the practice ship *Constitution*.

Paymaster H. R. Smith, to the Concord.

June 8—Lieutenant Commander C. B. Wood, to

duty as assistant to the Inspector of the 3d Light-house District.

Assistant Surgeon J. E. Riggs, to duty at the Naval Hospital, Navy-yard, Mare Island, Cal.

JUNE 6—Comdr. C. F. Goodrich, to command the Concord, on June 20.

Lieut. John E. Roller, as assistant to the Equipment Officer, Navy-yard, New York, in the inspection and installation of electrical material.

JUNE 8—Comdr. E. T. Woodward, to appear before the Naval Retiring Board.

Commander M. L. Johnson, to examination for promotion.

Surge. L. G. Heneberger, to New York Navy-yard as attending surgeon to officers and their families in New York City.

Chief Engr. Lewis J. Allen, to duty as fleet engineer of the European Squadron, in addition to his present duties.

Medical Inspector F. L. Du Bois, to duty as fleet surgeon of the European Squadron, in addition to his present duties.

JUNE 9—Lieutenant Commanders W. W. Rhoads and W. A. Morgan to examination for promotion on June 15.

Naval Constructor W. J. Baxter to examination for promotion on June 20.

Lieutenant W. M. Wood to the Philadelphia on June 20.

Lieutenant Edward Simpson to the Baltimore on June 15.

Orders of Ensign J. L. Latimer to the Charleston revoked.

Assistant Engineer R. B. Higgins to the Cushing.

Assistant Engineer C. E. Rommel to the San Francisco.

Detached.

JUNE 2—Lieutenant G. Brooklinger, from the Baltimore, June 19, and ordered to the Yorktown.

Lieutenant G. P. Colvocoresses, from the Concord and ordered to the Naval Academy.

Lieutenant Duncan Kennedy, from the Yorktown and ordered to duty at the torpedo station, Newport, R. I.

Lieutenant G. A. Merriam, from the Naval Academy and ordered to the Concord.

Lieutenant H. O. Rittenhouse, from the Naval Academy, June 15, and ordered to the Baltimore June 19.

Lieutenant W. P. White, from the receiving ship Vermont and ordered to the Charleston.

Lieutenant W. S. Hogg, from the receiving ship *St. Louis*, June 14, and ordered to the Concord June 15.

Lieutenant A. W. Grant, from the Concord, June 15, and ordered to the San Francisco.

Lieutenant L. M. Garrett, from the San Francisco and ordered to duty in the Coast Survey.

Ensign W. J. Terhune, from the Bennington and ordered to the training ship *Monongahela*.

Ensign T. P. Magruder and W. W. Phelps, from the *Monongahela* and ordered to the San Francisco.

Ensign L. R. de Steiguer, from the Baltimore and ordered to the Portsmouth.

Ensign F. B. Sullivan, from the Chicago and ordered to the Newark.

Ensign H. S. Ritter, from the *Constitution* and ordered to the Charleston.

Ensign W. A. Moffett, from the Portsmouth and ordered to the Chicago.

Ensign J. L. Latimer, from the Kearsarge and ordered to the Charleston.

Ensign G. L. Ferrier, from the Portsmouth and ordered to the San Francisco.

Ensign Claude Bailey, from the Portsmouth and ordered to the Chicago.

Ensign W. H. Buck, from the *Constitution* and ordered to the receiving ship *Franklin*, and upon the arrival of the Newark at Norfolk to that vessel.

Ensign J. H. Dayton, from the San Francisco and ordered to the Franklin, and upon the arrival of the Newark at Norfolk to that vessel.

Ensign F. B. Bassett, from the Charleston and ordered to duty on the Coast Survey.

Ensign C. S. Williams, from the Naval Academy and ordered to the Charleston.

Naval Cadets J. F. Hines, A. L. Gamble, and F. A. Grant, from the Kearsarge and ordered to the Atlanta.

Naval Cadets T. S. Borden, Walter Ball, B. B. McCormick, T. L. Stitt, and L. S. Thompson, from the Baltimore and ordered to the Kearsarge.

Naval Cadet R. K. Crank, from the Baltimore and ordered to the Atlanta.

JUNE 3—Ensign J. D. McDonald, from the training ship Portsmouth and ordered to temporary duty on board the Portsmouth, and then to hold himself in readiness for orders to the Atlanta.

Naval Cadet J. S. Porter, from the Baltimore June 19, and ordered to the San Francisco.

Lieut. F. H. Crosby, from the Navy-yard, Washington, June 15, and ordered to the Coast Survey steamer *McArthur*.

Asst. Surg. Henry La Motte, from the practice ship *Constitution* and ordered to the Newark.

Paymaster James A. Ring, from the Concord, upon the reporting of his relief and ordered to settle accounts, and to hold himself in readiness for sea service.

Chaplain Donald McLaren, from duty on board the receiving ship Vermont Aug. 7, and placed on waiting orders.

JUNE 5—Ensign F. W. Jenkins, from the Bennington on June 20 and ordered to duty at the Naval Ordnance Proving Grounds at Indian Head, Maryland.

Surge. A. M. Moore, from the Navy-yard, Mare Island, Cal., and placed on sick leave.

Surge. D. O. Lewis, from the Naval Hospital, Navy Yard, Mare Island, Cal., and ordered to duty at that yard.

P. A. Engr. J. M. Pickrell, from duty at the Richmond Locomotive and Machine Works, and ordered to the Yorktown.

P. A. Engr. Henry Herwig, from duty at the Navy Yard, Washington, and ordered to the Baltimore.

P. A. Engr. R. T. Hall, from the Baltimore and ordered to the Miantonomah.

Asst. Engr. A. S. Halstead, from the Cushing and ordered to the Bennington.

Asst. Engr. C. E. Rommel from the Yorktown and ordered to the torpedo boat *Cushing*.

JUNE 6—Comdr. Edwin White, from the command of the Concord on June 20, and placed on waiting orders.

Lieut. N. B. Mason, from duty in the Bureau of Ordnance, and ordered to the Inspector of Ordnance

in charge of the Naval Proving Grounds, Indian Head, Md.

Lieut. James C. Cresap from the Baltimore and ordered to the Chicago.

Chaplain S. D. Boorum, from the Minnesota June 16, and ordered to the San Francisco.

Carpenter W. A. Barry, from duty at the Navy-yard, Norfolk, Va., and ordered to the San Francisco.

Carpenter E. W. Smith, from the San Francisco and granted three months' leave.

JUNE 7—P. A. Engr. E. L. Beach, from the Philadelphia, upon the reporting of his relief, and granted three months' leave.

Asst. Engr. L. McC. Nulton, from the Charleston and ordered to the Philadelphia.

Chaplain Frank Thompson, from the Charleston June 19, granted three months' leave, then ordered to the receiving ship Independence.

JUNE 8—Lt.-Comdr. Frank Courtis, from duty on the Steel Inspection Board and ordered to command the *Vesuvius* on June 15.

Lieut. Benton Schroeder, from the *Vesuvius* and granted three months' leave.

Medical Director A. L. Gilson, from special duty in New York, and ordered to charge of Naval Hospital at Washington.

Medical Director H. M. Wells, from Naval Hospital, Washington, and placed on waiting orders until July 5.

Surge. Walter A. McClurg, from duty in the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery and ordered to the Concord.

Surge. Ramus C. Persons, from the Concord and granted two months' leave.

Asst. Surg. James S. Hope, from the Fern and ordered to the Charleston.

Lieut. Comdr. J. P. Merrell, from the Naval Academy and ordered as Executive of the Baltimore.

REVENUE MARINE SERVICE.

MAY 28.—3d Asst. Engr. D. F. Bowen, detached from the Morrill and placed on waiting orders.

MAY 31.—2d Lieut. Howard Emory, 3d Lieut. C. S. Cochran, and 2d Asst. Engr. Philip Litting, ordered to the Perry on June 5.

CANDIDATES FOR THE MILITARY ACADEMY.

The following is a complete list of candidates who have been authorized to appear at West Point on June 13 next for examination for admission to the Military Academy. In consequence of the many failures in the March examinations, held at different posts, the number is unusually large:

Ala.—5th, Edw. P. Wilson.	Mo.—12th (alt.), N. Allison.
6th, Robert S. Foster.	15th, John G. Workizer.
7th, Frank M. Savage.	Neb.—3d, Evan H. Humphrey.
Ariz.—Frank L. Jordan.	8d, Jay E. Williams.
Ark.—2d, Carl Hollis.	3d (alt.), W. R. Newman.
5th, Fred A. Pearce.	4th, David M. Hill.
Cal.—6th, Wm. G. Bissell.	4th (alt.), Fred R. Kimb.
6th (alt.), E. E. Dollard.	5th, Wm. M. Fassett.
Colo.—1st, Scott Corryell.	2d (alt.), H. P. Greeley.
1st (alt.), W. L. Tildon.	N. J.—2d, Harold E. Cioke.
Fla.—1st, George F. Baisley.	5th, J. M. Staunton.
Ga.—2d, Robt. W. Alexander.	N. Y.—1st, J. Van R. Eckerson.
3d, James W. Furlow.	(alt.), W. S. Overton, Jr.
8th, Wm. W. Baldwin.	2d, Wm. F. Morris, Jr.
11th, Henry S. Morgan.	5th, Lewis H. Foley.
11th (alt.), M. L. McRae.	5th (alt.), J. F. Ranken.
11th, Alex. C. Roberts.	13th, John H. Hughes.
11th, R. J. B. Harter.	(alt.), T. W. Coughlan.
12th, Morton E. Darrough.	14th, A. T. Robinson.
12th, Chas. H. Bridges.	14th (alt.), M. J. Galvin.
17th, H. W. Maxmiller.	16th, Benj. L. Kinney.
A. L. Henry Abbot.	17th, Wm. L. Reed.
1st, Winston Menzies.	24th, Philip R. Ward.
3d, Irwin Cook Fawcett.	24th, James F. Brady.
5th, E. M. J. Johnson.	(alt.), N. E. Hutchens.
9th, Morton E. Darrough.	25th, A. M. Hutchens.
10th, Jas. M. Anderson.	N. C.—3d, J. A. McKethan.
12th, Wm. C. Kern.	(alt.), T. B. Weir, Jr.
1st, Wm. D. Conner.	N. D.—Geo. A. Nugent.
2d (alt.), John C. Murphy.	Ohio.—1st, F. W. Alcaetter.
9th, H. Herbert H. Finney.	20th, Burr T. Holden.
9th (alt.), Wm. L. Murphy.	(alt.), W. S. Bodes.
10th, Edwin F. Canfield.	2d, Harold B. Blake.
Kas.—7th, Thaddeus C. Cole.	24 (alt.), R. N. Johnston.
7th (alt.), C. B. Humoh.	Pa.—4th, John O. Raymond.
A. L. Chase Doster.	9th, M. J. McDermott.
A. L. (alt.), L. G. Koighi.	9th (alt.), Levi F. Mogel.
Ky.—6th, Chambers Perry.	12th, John W. Campbell.
6th (alt.), Foster V. Cox.	17th (alt.), R. W. Adams.
Md.—1st, Howard McL. Brown.	18th, Frank R. McCoy.
1st (alt.), Harry S. Waller.	18th (alt.), E. B. Bricker.
2d, Madison Marice.	A. L. (alt.), A. P. Tander.
2d (alt.), Wm. G. Gwynn.	A. L. (alt.), David H. Davies.
5th, Wright Rives, Jr.	(alt.), S. E. W. Eyer.
Mass.—2d, Charles J. King.	Fenn.—5th, F. N. Blakeman.
2d (alt.), R. W. Dury.	7th, S. M. Henderson.
4th, W. H. Barnea.	8th, Chas. H. Wright.
(alt.), C. L. Frohman.	9th, Jos. M. Cather.
9th, Jos. N. Gilman.	9th (alt.), Geo. Wilson.
Mich.—8th, Geo. E. Mitchell.	Tex.—4th, W. S. Massenbarg.
(alt.), A. A. Crawford.	5th, S. F. Bottoms.
10th, E. A. Sormeyer.	5th (alt.), J. H. Mounta.
(alt.), Wm. W. Armist.	7th, James Justice.
11th, Henry N. Smith.	9th, Andrew Moses.
13th, Jed B. Freund.	9th (alt.), A. A. Riles.
(alt.), Fred E. Leefe.	13th, Julius A. Becker.
Minn.—5th, James N. Munro.	(alt.), W. B. Jugliss.
5th (alt.), Geo. Smith.	Vt.—1st, S. Miller.
6th, Frank T. Magrath.	1st (alt.), H. A. Gillette.
6th (alt.), E. H. Iston.	2d, Edson F. Holden.
Misc.—2d, Lloyd T. Knox.	2d (alt.), Geo. E. Davis.
2d (alt.), C. A. D. Hugh's.	Va.—1st, Willard D. Newbill.
4th, Lucius L. Blount.	3d, Hugh McLeod.
4th (alt.), Fox Connor.	Wash.—2d, L. P. N. Murphy.
Mo.—1st, John S. Hailey, Jr.	4th, Thos. E. Bell.
2d, Howell Coleman.	5th, Louis C. Wolf.
7th, Russ E. Longan.	6th, H. M. Dickmann.
7th (alt.), R. P. Spencer.	8th, Henry J. Bortle.
10th, E. Kaston R. Gibson.	9th, F. W. Oldenburg.
11th, Halstead Dovey.	
11th (alt.), W. L. Fletcher.	
12th, Firmin R. Dalghe.	

MR. GEORGE R. JONES, who died at Leicester, N. C., May 16, of heart failure, was for many years connected with the Service as Recorder in the Coast Survey, where he had numerous friends, all of whom will be much grieved to know of his death.

At a popular station in the North West Province of India, a sporting Maharajah and an equally sporting infantry captain entered the list for 200 rupees a side, the remarkable feature of the game being that while the Prince used the cue the officer played with his hands! Singular to add the latter won hands—at which we say "down!"

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The main feature of the meeting of the Vermont
Commandery Military Order Loyal Legion, to which
we referred last week, was the presentation by the
Massachusetts Commandery of a beautiful Loyal
Legion banner and a set of National and State
colors to the Vermont Commandery on the occasion
of its first annual meeting. The affair was so well
arranged as to take the Vermonters completely by
surprise. A small company of the Massachusetts
Companions went to Burlington, for the purpose of
the presentation, and at a given signal during the
progress of the meeting the folding doors of the
banquet room were thrown open and the banner
brought in, to the astonishment and evident delight
of the Vermont Companions, and, with simple good
will, presented to the commander. It was one of
the pleasantest and most admirably managed of
presentations and it is so considered at Burlington.

We announced last week that the Secretary of War
upon the recommendation of Gen. Schofield, had
decided to increase the number of Army officers on
duty at the World's Fair. After a careful examina-
tion of the list of available officers the following
were selected on Thursday last and orders issued for
them to report immediately to Maj. Comly for duty
in connection with the Columbian Guards: 1st Lieut.
A. J. Russell, 7th Cavalry; 1st Lieut. T. J. Clay, 10th
Infantry; 1st Lieut. W. C. Brown; 1st Cavalry; Lieut.
Edgar W. Howe, 17th Infantry; Lieut. L. H. Strother,
1st Infantry; Lieut. F. G. Hodgson, 8th Cavalry;
Lieut. J. O. Green, 25th Infantry; Lieut. Walter H.
Gordon, 18th Infantry; Lieut. E. A. Helmick, 4th
Infantry, and Lieut. A. W. Perry, 9th Cavalry.

HON. HILARY A. HERBERT, Secretary of the Navy,
has an excellent article in the *North American Re-
view* for June, on "The Lesson of the Naval Review."
In the shore parade, as to which so much doubt was
raised, he finds "the crowning lesson of the review."
The article is significant as showing the Secretary's
belief that "if America would keep her own peace
with the nations of the world and maintain her
place in the vanguard of civilization, she must be
at all times prepared for war."

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REPEAL THE TEN YEARS' LAW.

We have received thus far over three thousand
signatures to the petition for the repeal of the law
limiting enlistments to ten years and new names
are coming in every day. We learn, too, that the
companies at Fort Leavenworth and Fort Robin-
son have also signed it. Adding the lists from these
posts will give you a total thus far of some four
thousand signatures.

The substantial unanimity of the Army upon
the subject of repealing the obnoxious law is shown
by the statements accompanying the petitions re-
turned to us. In sending in his list of names an
officer writes: "I endorse the memorial to Congress
with reference to the law which should be termed
'an act to emasculate the U. S. Army.' It has been
signed by every member of my company present,
except one man sick in the hospital and unable to
hold a pen."

Another officer says: "I enclose the petition
signed by every officer and man at this post." A
third says, "I take great pleasure in returning
the petition duly signed by every officer and en-
listed man of this garrison. * * * Wishing you
God speed in this matter and in the name of the
small garrison of this post thanking your for the
interest you have taken in an affair which is of such
vital importance to us all. I am," etc. A fourth
officer who also returns the petition signed by every
officer and enlisted man of his company says: "If
this act remains in force it will be the ruin of the
Army. Every officer of five years' experience with
troops knows that the old soldiers are the backbone
of the Army. They are needed to teach the young
men. Their example, influence and experience in
camp and garrison are of the greatest value. We
cannot afford to dispense with them. It seems in-
credible that any sane person could advocate the
passage of the act of Congress preventing enlist-
ment after ten years' service. The argument that
because a man is not a non-commissioned officer at
end of ten years' service he is no longer of value to
the service, is childish. It is very difficult now to
get the best soldiers to accept the position of cor-
poral, because of the amount of work and responsi-
bility required of them. The best men are detailed
on extra duty, with an increase of at least ten dol-
lars per month. What is needed more than any-
thing is an increase of the pay of non-commissioned
officers. Corporals should have an increase of five
dollars and sergeants of ten dollars and first ser-
geants of at least fifteen dollars per month above
the pay of a private. This would not then give
them as much as some privates get for as driv-
ing a mule team or working as a carpenter on ex-
tra duty pay, except in the case of a first sergeant,
who then would equal the carpenter in pay. I wish
you could hear the remarks of company command-
ers on these two subjects, but it would not be proper
to put them into print."

Many protests against the law have been re-
ceived at the War Department, but, so far as we
can learn, not a single communication favoring it.

We have the best of reasons for believing that the authorities at Washington will give all proper encouragement to this movement for repeal. We learn also that Senator Proctor is convinced that the law is as it stands injurious to the Service, and that he is disposed to favor at least a modification of it, so as to permit the re-enlistment of ten years men by special authority from the War Department upon the recommendation of company commanders who must certify that the retention of the men will be a positive benefit to the Service. Congressman Outhwaite, who will again head the House Military Committee, promises that he will earnestly support the movement for the repeal of the law.

With these facts before us, we urge officers of the Army to do all they can to increase the number of petitioners against the law. We do not over-estimate the value of such appeals to Congress, and we fully understand the delicacy of the position of men whose military training teaches them to accept without complaint whatever burdens are imposed upon them by superior authority. It should be remembered, however, that the appeal in this case is not against an individual hardship, but against an enactment which is destructive to the military Service itself. It is clearly the intention of Congress to benefit and not to injure the Service, and what we seek to accomplish is to convince our law makers that the Army is substantially agreed in the opinion that in this particular instance they have made a mistake. By the help of these petitions we hope to make the matter clear, and to overcome the *vis inertiae* of indifference which is the chief obstacle in the way of beneficial Army legislation. Every additional petition helps us in this, for there is danger that those who are not shown to be with us may be counted against us. At the proper time we shall take counsel of those most competent to advise as to the proper use to be made of the petitions we receive, and our experience of thirty years with the Army is a guarantee that we shall do nothing that will bring reproach upon any officer or man who signs the petition. We have moved in this matter because we were convinced that the danger threatening the Army was of such a nature as to require heroic and unusual treatment.

DEPARTMENT Commanders are now making preparations for the annual rifle competitions which will soon commence in their respective localities. We shall, as heretofore, publish weekly accounts of the progress of these competitions, with the scores, etc., of the competitors.

We understand that the question of a rearrangement of the geographical limits and of the personnel of the Department commands is again under advisement. The re-establishment of at least two of the Divisions is looked for. Pending consideration of the subject, the orders of General Carlin to command of Department of the Columbia have been suspended. General Schofield is getting up a project to be submitted to Secretary Lamont upon his return to Washington, from Chicago next week.

STEEL PRODUCING PLANTS.

The steel producing plants, like the ship building establishments, are getting well ahead with their contracts. Altogether the present period is the most active in the history of the new Navy. We referred last week to the large number of vessels which have already reached, or will reach during the present year, either the commission, official trial or launching stage. As to the armor producing plant, it is becoming almost a weekly occurrence for an acceptance test of some kind of armor to take place. Last week the Bethlehem Company successfully concluded a trial of 12-inch plate, which means the immediate acceptance of nearly 500 tons of 12 and 14-inch armor for the *Texas* and *Puritan*. The week previous the Carnegie Company concluded a test and obtained a premium for about three hundred tons of light armor for the *Olympic* and *Texas*. Next week the Carnegie Company will have another test of 9-inch armor for the *Monadnock*. Within the past six months the two plants have turned out about 3,000 tons of nickel armor, or nearly three times the amount previously furnished under their existing contracts. Up to date the Bethlehem Company has furnished nearly 2,500 tons, and the Carnegie Company about 1,000. The rapid advance in deliveries is due to the increased facilities at both works and the determination of processes after exhaustive trials and tests.

The experimental stage is now over with the Bethlehem Company, and having completed the large and expensive furnaces for the treatment of plates by the Harvey process, early and large deliveries of this class of armor may now be looked for. A question has arisen as to whether the Bethlehem Company earned a premium on the 491 tons for the *Texas* and *Puritan* represented by the plate tested at their works last week. The third shot penetrated the plate and lodged in the backing. There are evidences that a fragment of the projectile passed through the backing, but it is not conclusive, and until this point is satisfactorily established the question of premium will remain in doubt. The sum of \$15,000 is involved.

The Madrid *Epoca* guilelessly expresses the belief that Great Britain will ultimately cede Gibraltar to Spain if indemnified for the cost of the fortifications which Great Britain has constructed there. We shall await the event with interest, how long cannot be said.

At Halifax, N. S., where the British flagship *Blake* arrived from Bermuda June 2, there has been agitation in the press in favor of a public reception to Admiral Hopkins on account of the honors he won at New York in representing the British Navy. No man better deserves such honor. The frank, hearty sailor courtesy of Admiral Hopkins won all hearts while he was on duty in our waters. No man could have better represented the British Service; no one could have done more to increase the good will of Americans toward it.

Is not official mourning in the Army being overdone? Often for long periods at a time the officers are ordered to wear orange on their left arm and on their sword hilt and the regimental colors are draped. It is no trouble to wear orange on the uniform coat when one never wears the garment except at a President's reception, but for officers who wear uniform constantly this becomes monotonous. It would seem that the wearing of orange for one month would be sufficient as a mark of respect to a dead President or commander. Better one month cheerfully than six months otherwise. A reasonable schedule of official mourning would be very acceptable to the Army. The present system savors somewhat of the delicacy of sentiment that prompted Mark Twain to shed tears at the tomb of Adam.

The Secretary of the Navy has, by his recent action in making the numerous changes in the personnel of the *Miantonomoh*, inaugurated the idea that the port-staying craft are to be regarded as "storage reservoirs" for officers who are detached from shore duty, having reached the term for sea service. This may disappoint those who had presumed that an assignment to the monitor meant three years of "soft duty," but they may console themselves with the reflection that they are sacrificed for the benefit of the service. Officers of the Navy "ship for general service," and as they are educated for "a life on the ocean wave" they should rejoice when the salt sea claims their presence and they are no longer forced to submit to the loss of fibre resulting from the soft dalliance of a cruise in a home port. The detachment of two of the engineer officers from the *Miantonomoh* was somewhat of a surprise to those interested, but their places will be filled from the other vessels of the station.

There seems to be a prospect that the old *Hartford* may be repaired and once more fitted to battle with gales from which for so many years this historic old craft has been exempt. Estimates as to the cost of making some changes in the sails and battery are in preparation in the Appropriation Bureau, but nothing definite has been done as to beginning the work of rehabilitation. It will surely be a most gracious thing for the present administration to set the old battleship once more afloat. The name of Farragut has become so inseparably connected with that of his ship that additional pride will be felt in the renewed youth of his former and famous flagship. The proposition is made to arm the *Hartford* with a battery of modern breechloading rifles, and to modify her sail power down to something like the spread of the *Chicago*. The money expended upon this famed warship will be willingly voted by every patriotic Congressman, for it is so seldom that National sentiment has been appealed to that the proposition to set the *Hartford* once more afloat on the sea where Farragut made her name famous will be cheered to the echo by the people of the country from Maine to California. The battle-scarred old craft now lies in "Rotten Row" off Mare Island, the sport of the tide and gradually rotting away in ignominious idleness, and it is hoped the Navy Department may see its way to the expenditure of enough money to place the ship in condition for cruising. It makes no difference that the repairs may cause the removal of a large percentage of the old timbers of the vessel, but she will still be the *Hartford*.

The unveiling of the new monument to General Francis Marion, to replace the old tomb shattered by the earthquake ten years ago, took place with much ceremony May 22, at Belle Isle, about forty-five miles from Charleston, S. C.

As the movements of the 3d and 5th U. S. Cavalry, ordered in G. O. 36, A. G. O. of 1893, will commence in a few days, we give this week the new stations of the troops of the two regiments—the 3d in the Department of the Missouri, and the 5th in the Department of Texas.

The *Electric World* says: "The policy of the United States Government in awarding premiums to shipbuilders for exceeding contract requirements in regard to the speed or horsepower of men-of-war might, with great advantage, be extended to include the electric lighting plants of naval vessels. Such a policy would serve as a great stimulus to efforts to reduce the weight and space occupied by such plants, and as the merchant marine would directly participate in the benefit resulting, the effect would be much wider than when applied to speed or horse power alone as at present.

MAJOR JOHN BROOKS, Surgeon U. S. A., in discussing in the May number of the Military Service Institution, "The Place of the Medical Department," says: "The medical officer has always been regarded as a member of the military family; by Napoleon, who called Larry the most valuable man in his Army; by the great leader who sleeps at Riverside, and by the subaltern, whose sick child greets his coming with a brightened smile. And the vast majority of the line cheerfully accords to medical officers all military titles authorized by law, regulations, or the customs of service. The few, the very few, who seem to guard such titles as prerogatives almost divine, may be safely left to the ripening influences of that combination of process known to the elder Weller as 'vaith and wisdom.'"

RECENT DEATHS.

A GALLANT and genial veteran of the older Army, Brevet Colonel Albert Tracy, Major U. S. Army, retired, died suddenly in New York City, June 3. He came North from his favorite resort, St. Augustine, Fla., only a short while ago, and seemed to be in his usual health. Colonel Tracy was an officer of long and excellent service. He was appointed a 1st Lieutenant of Infantry in February, 1847, and served gallantly during the Mexican War, receiving the brevet of Captain for Chapultepec. He was promoted Captain February 23, 1848, was mustered out the following August, and in 1855 was appointed a Captain of the 10th U. S. Infantry. He served in several Indian expeditions, reinforced General Lyon at St. Louis arsenal at the beginning of the war and was for some time A. A. D. C. to General Fremont with the rank of Colonel. He was promoted Major of the 15th Infantry in 1863 and received the brevets of Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel for his faithful and meritorious services during the war. He was retired from active service on November 4, 1865, on account of his disability incurred in the line of duty. The remains were taken to Portland, Me., for interment.

COLONEL C. H. BURTIS, a distinguished officer of New York Volunteers during the war, died in Brooklyn, June 2.

The remains of Major Wm. Kearney have recently been transferred from San Antonio to St. Louis to be interred in Belle Fountain Cemetery, by the side of his father, Gen. Stephen Watts Kearney. Major Kearney was graduated from West Point in 1852 and resigned in 1861 to join the Confederate Army. He died some time ago.

We have received resolutions adopted by the Winfield Scott Garrison No. 65, Regular Army and Navy Union, relative to the death of Comrade Richard H. Dutton. Deputy Commander: "Comrade Dutton had the love and respect of all who knew him best, and was a man of honor and strict integrity. His word was his bond, and he always held the full confidence and respect of his superiors in rank, and the loyalty and love of his inferiors."

The death is reported of Guy E. Huse, formerly an officer of our Army. He was the son of Caleb Huse, a graduate of the Military Academy class of 1851, and now a resident of Highland Falls, N. Y. The son was graduated from the Academy in 1870, and served in the 23d Infantry until his transfer to the 4th Cavalry in 1884. He resigned Sept. 1, 1890, and afterwards served with distinction in the Chilean Army as Major of Engineers. The failure of Balboa was fatal to the prospects of all prominent officers in his army, as a matter of course, and especially to such as were not Chilean born, and it was with difficulty that they escaped with their lives. Maj. Huse found refuge on the U. S. S. *Baltimore*, where he was most hospitably cared for by the officers. He was taken with several other Chilean officers to San Francisco, and afterwards found employment as an engineer in Mexico, where his thorough knowledge of Spanish enabled him to make his engineering ability valuable. His death occurred at Guatemala, C. A., April 30.

The death of Edwin Booth, America's great tragedian, in New York, on June 7th, has caused intense sorrow throughout and beyond the country. Aside from his art, one memory will never be forgotten—the admirable manner in which he bore himself after that great crisis in the Nation's history—the death of President Abraham Lincoln on April 14th, 1865.

An important decision has just been rendered by the Court of Claims in the case of Private Thomas McNamara, Troop E. 31 Cavalry, who claimed increase of pay, under a certificate of merit issued to him in 1890, from the time he performed the gallant service for which the certificate was issued instead of from the date it was issued. It will be observed that the court has held that the act allowing increase of pay, based upon certificates of merit is retrospective, and has allowed the claimant \$200, back pay. This ruling is important in view of the large number of belated certificates of merit, which have been issued during the past few years.

SECRETARY HERBERT has written to the Governor of New York and Massachusetts, asking for co-operation in the matter of this year's instruction of the Naval Reserve. As already stated in the JOURNAL the project of the Navy Department this year is to give the Reserve the benefit of a week's actual cruising at sea. To accomplish this end about half of the regular crew of one or more of the vessels of the North Atlantic Squadron will be temporarily transferred to a receiving ship and their places filled by members of the Naval Reserve.

The statement that the War Department has definitely decided to order the corps of cadets from West Point to the World's Fair is a little premature. It is known that the War Department and the Military Academy authorities are heartily in favor of this outing for the cadets, and it is probable that the orders will ultimately be issued. But there is a question of "ways and means" that must first be decided. The accounting officers, we understand, have questioned the right to use the Army transportation fund for this purpose, and as the regular appropriation for the Military Academy will hardly be sufficient, the Department is in doubt as to how it can provide for the necessary expenses of the trip. With all hands working for the same end however, there is a strong probability that a way will be found to overcome the opposition of the accounting officers.

The General Order for the annual rifle competitions will be issued from Army Headquarters next week. August 7 is the date fixed for all the departmental competitions, except the Department of Missouri. In accordance with the recommendations of General Miles the competition of this department will take place at Fort Sheridan instead of Fort Leavenworth, and will be held late in August, preceding the Regular Army competition, which commences September 28. Captain Baldwin will have charge of the Army competition at Fort Sheridan.

The overseers of Harvard University have confirmed the appointment of Passed Assistant Engineer Ira N. Hollis, U. S. N., as Professor of Mechanical Engineering in the Lawrence Scientific School. Prof. Hollis has already looked over his new field of activity and displayed a zeal and enthusiasm in regard to his new duties which is very pleasing to the Cambridge authorities. Mr. Hollis' reputation throughout the service and the country led to his being chosen from a number of available men. His talents in the field of machine designing seemed especially valuable to the Harvard overseers, while the Navy Department was equally loth to have him go. It is a testimonial to the excellence of the education and training of the Government academics that Harvard University, the most influential in the land, has had two West Point graduates as predecessors of Prof. Hollis. Prof. Hollis will enter on his duties early in September next.

(Correspondence of the Army and Navy Journal.)

WEST POINT.

JUNE 8, 1893.

The programme of exercises published several weeks ago has thus far been carried out in every detail. The Review before the Board of Visitors on June 1 was characterized by the usual formalities. Nine members of the Board arrived. The weather was beautiful; the review beyond criticism. The annual reception followed, at which the officers and ladies of the post were presented to the members of the Board of Visitors and to the ladies accompanying them. Among the latter were: Mrs. Culom, Mrs. McClure, and the Misses Wheeler. The quarters of the Superintendent were, as usual on such occasions, more than crowded. Many guests from Cold Spring, Garrison, and the summer residences below Highland Falls were present, in addition to a full representation of post people.

A dress parade took place at 6:30, and at 8 P. M. the first of a series of open-air concerts was given by the Band. The selections have been excellent and the improvement in the Band under the present leader is a matter of frequent remark among old-time visitors. On Friday morning, after the examination rooms had been visited, the members of the Board were driven to various points of interest. The drill in the afternoon at the Sea Coast Battery de-

monstrated the ability of the Cadets as marksmen. Very satisfactory work was done, the target demolished in short order. On Saturday morning the members of the Board visited the Cadet commissary, laundry, hospital, etc., and inspected the working of the various departments. In the afternoon, at 4:45, the entire first class participated in the ride on the Plain under command of Capt. Craig. The drill passed off without untoward incident and was enjoyed equally by cadets and spectators. The discharge of pistols while the riders were at full gallop was a new feature of the drill at an exhibition ride. A pair of carriage horses standing at the edge of the plain became frightened by the noise, but the presence of mind of two officers near at hand averted what might have proved an accident.

Rev. John W. Dinsmore of San José, Cal., a member of the Board of Visitors, preached the sermon at the Cadet Chapel on Sunday morning.

On Monday morning the ladies accompanying the members of the Board were driven to the top of Cro's Nest to obtain one of the finest views in the vicinity. In the afternoon the cadets built pontoon bridges, exhibiting not only proficiency and dexterity in this drill, but endurance of no mean quality, as the temperature at the hour of drill was anything but exhilarating. The intense heat of Monday and Tuesday was followed by a heavy shower on Tuesday afternoon, which was very grateful. The members of the Board called upon Mrs. Grant, who is a guest at Cranston's Hotel, in the early afternoon, returning in time to witness the ride in the hall at 4:45. Twenty-five members of the first class had been selected to take part in this drill. The perfect discipline to which the horses have been subjected of late years is apparent in their increased docility. An accident is of rare occurrence now, and the ride in the hall, which a few years ago almost invariably resulted in the temporary disability of some members of the graduating class and a consequent change of partners for some fair visitor at the Graduating Ball, has been shorn of its terrors for the most timid of spectators—or cadets.

To the improvements in the hurdle and other appliances and to the complete subjugation of horses accomplished by throwing them, firing above them while they lie prostrate, and to the thorough gymnastic training of the riders, these results are in a measure due. The ride has lost none of its interest, it has gained much in variety of detail by the new methods. The men chosen to ride before the Board of Visitors were: Cadets—Kitt, Howell, Walker, M. L. Johnson, Timberlake, McManus, Raymond, Rice, Andrews, Schindler, Smedberg, Babcock, Crosby, Sawtelle, Smith, M. C. Walker, H. W. Hart, Heyer, Jamerson, Saville, Laws, Taylor, Rogers, Williams and Houtz. Hurdle jumping, vaulting, cutting on heads on the ground and on posts, high jump over bar, wrestling, picking up sabre from the ground, securing rascals from rider's coat, were among the exercises, which were enthusiastically applauded from one of the galleries whose occupants were oblivious to the notice requesting that visitors would refrain from applause. Equally appreciative if less enthusiastic were the visitors in other parts of the hall. Admission was by ticket to prevent overcrowding the galleries.

On Friday evening of last week, on Tuesday evening of the present, and again on Thursday evening, members of the Board have been and will be entertained at dinner by Col. Ernst. The examination of the 1st class in Practical Military Engineering took place on Wednesday evening. With the exception of the physical examination of the 1st class this was the last of the ordeal for its members. The physical examination was conducted on Wednesday afternoon, at the Cadet hospital, before a Medical Board consisting of the following: William D. Wolcott, Major Medical Department; Joseph R. Gibson, Major Medical Department; and J. Van R. Hoff, Major Medical Department. At 4:45 on Wednesday afternoon school of the Battery—Field Artillery—was the exercise of the day, under command of Lieutenant Dyer. In the evening, the following programme of exercises was given by the entire 4th class in the gymnasium:

1. Setting up Exercises.
2. Horizontal Bar.
3. Falls.
4. Assault, Foils.
5. Horse, Side.
6. Sabres.
7. Assault, Sabres.
8. Parallel Bars.
9. Bayonet Exercise.
10. Assault, Bayonets.
11. Horse, Low.
12. Horizontal Vaulting Bars.
13. Games.
14. Clubs.

Battalion drill is on the programme for Thursday afternoon; a cadet hop will be held in the evening. The programme for Friday evening is very full—Morning, Company competition drill; afternoon, drill, extended order (kirmish); evening, Heavy Artillery drill, siege mortars at 8 P. M., to be followed, it is expected, by a Cadet hop. The programme is in regard to the doings of cadets.

On Friday afternoon early, about 2:30, the usual hour, the Association of Graduates will hold their annual meeting at the Cadet Chapel. The presentation of the portrait of Gen. Anderson to the Association will lend additional interest to this meeting. The following programme of exercises will be given on Friday evening, the Secretary of the Association having received only nine or ten affirmative replies to the circular requesting names of those intending to be present.

Col. Wilson arrived at the post on Wednesday. He will deliver the diplomas to the graduating class on Monday next.

The ball will doubtless be as large as usual. It is the present intention to hold it in the Gymnasium instead of in Grant Hall.

Among the large number of visitors may be mentioned: Col. and Mrs. L. L. Langdon, Maj. C. W. Raymond, Mrs. Raymond, Miss Wieman and Miss Howard, Miss Cora Smedberg, sister of Cadet Smedberg, first class, M. S. W. H. Powell, Miss Powell, Mrs. A. M. Wetzel, Mrs. H. D. Wallen, Miss Wallen, at the hotel, Mr. and Mrs. Barry and the Misses Du Barry at Highland Falls; Miss Louise Knight of Washington, daughter of Capt. J. G. D. Knight, Engineers, a guest of Mrs. Newlands; Miss Lieber, of Washington, a guest of Mrs. Larned; Mrs. C. G. Sawtelle, Miss Sawtelle and Mr. C. O. L. Dillaway, relatives of Cadets Sawtelle and Dillaway, at the hotel. Also, Lieut. Frank B. Koch, resigned, and wife, Lieut. Hayden S. Cole, 31 Infantry, and wife, Col. A. S. Bacon and wife and Capt. H. W. Hubbard, 1st Artillery. Capt. E. L. Zilinski, 5th Artillery, is visiting at the post.

The Board of Visitors elected Hon. S. M. Cullom President, Hon. Charles B. Fairchild Vice President, and Prof. E. A. Alderman, secretary.

Beginning June 1, the hour of dress parade has been changed to 6:30 P. M. The battalion will wear the summer uniform of gray and white from the date. The closing dinner at the officers' mess was held Wednesday evening, May 31. Music was rendered by the U. S. M. A. Band during its progress. The Count and Countess of Reventlow-Holstein, Germany, Hon. John S. Wise, Gen. Oakes, and Lieut. Edward E. Hardin, 7th Infantry, have been among recent visitors.

Cadet appointments to West Point have been issued during the past two weeks to:

- Powell Coleman, Salisbury (2d Dist.), Mo.
Carl Hollis, Orlando (2d Dist.), A. S.
Wm. C. Kern, Fort Wayne (12th Dist.), Ind.
F. E. K. Oldenburg, Antigo (9th Dist.), Wis.
Burr P. Seiden, Painesville (3d Dist.), Ohio.
Alfred B. Bates (alt.), Cleveland (3d Dist.), Ohio.
David M. Hill, Belvidere (4th Dist.), N. H.
Fred. R. Klumb (alt.), Hampton (4th Dist.), Neb.
John H. Kusch, New York City (13th Dist.), N. Y.
Lucius L. Blount, Water Valley (4th Dist.), Miss.
Fox Connor (alt.), State Springs (4th Dist.), Miss.
Robert W. Alexander, Blakeley (2d Dist.), Ga.
Alfred P. Brennan, New York City (14th Dist.), N. Y.
Martha J. Galvin (alt.), New York City (11th Dist.), N. Y.
Joseph M. Cahery, Rutherford (9th Dist.), Tenn.
Geo. Wilson (alt.), Rutherford (9th Dist.), Tenn.
Charles J. King, Amherst (3d Dist.), Mass.
R. W. Danny (alt.), Athol (2d Dist.), Mass.
Timothy M. Coughlan (alt.), New York City (13th Dist.), N. Y.

- Julius A. Buckler, El Paso (13th Dist.), Texas.
Wm. Douglas (alt.), Abilene (12th Dist.), Texas.
Wm. G. Bladell, Los Angeles (8th Dist.), Cal.
Evin E. Dillard (alt.), Downey (6th Dist.), Cal.
Henry S. Moran, Valdosta (11th Dist.), Ga.
Max L. McRae (alt.), Lumber City (11th Dist.), Ga.
Joseph N. Gilman, Boston (2d Dist.), Mass.
Jay R. Williams, St. Edwards (3d Dist.), Neb.
W. R. Newman (alt.), Hartington (3d Dist.), Neb.
Lloyd T. Kern, Batesville (2d Dist.), Miss.
Clarence A. Dougherty (alt.), Coldwater (2d Dist.), Miss.
John S. Haley, Jr., Elfin (1st Dist.), Mo.
Willard D. Newbill, Irvinston (1st Dist.), Va.
Homer W. Maximilian, Shelbyville (17th Dist.), Ill.
Fred. W. Alstaetter, Gallon (13th Dist.), Ohio.
Warren H. Barnes, Marlboro (4th Dist.), Mass.
Chas. L. Frohwitter (alt.), Boston (4th Dist.), Mass.
Fred R. Becker (alt.), Wausau (2d Dist.), Wis.

Boards for Examination.

A Board of Officers is appointed to meet at Fort Monroe, Va., for the examination of such officers as may be ordered before it, to determine their fitness for promotion. Detail: Lieut.-Col. Royal T. Frank, 2d Art.; Majors Richard R. Vickery, surr.; Henry C. Hasbrouck, 4th Art., and Edw. R. Moseler, surr.; Capt. James M. Ingalls, 1st Art., and Lieut. Wm. P. Duval, 5th Art., recorder. The following officers will report for examination before the above board: 2d Lieut. Oscar I. Straub, 1st Art.; Herman C. Schumm, 5th Art.; Fred M. Hinton, 4th Art., and Charles C. Gallup, 5th Art. (S. O. June 1, H. Q. A.)

The following officers will report to Col. Wm. M. Graham, 5th Art., president of the examining board convened at the Presidio of San Francisco, Cal., for examination as to their fitness for promotion: 2d Lieut. Nathaniel P. McClure, 4th Cav.; John D. Miles, 5th Art., and George E. French, 4th Inf. (S. O. June 1, H. Q. A.)

The following officers will report to Lieut.-Col. Jacob Kline, 9th Inf., president of the examining board at Fort Leavenworth, Kas., for examination as to their fitness for promotion: 1st Lieut. James S. Rogers, 20th Inf.; 2d Lieut. Stephen H. Elliott, 5th Cav.; P. D. Lochridge, 2d Cav.; Thomas H. Stevens, 4th Cav.; Frank Owen, 8th Inf.; Carl Koops, 13th Inf., and George W. Martin, 18th Inf. (S. O. June 1, H. Q. A.)

Retirements of Enlisted Men.

The following enlisted men, now at the stations designated, are, upon their own application, placed upon the retired list: Serret, Leopold B. Senior, Co. H, 11th Inf., Fort Apache; Fritz Corpi, George W. Beckman, Troop G, 4th Cav., Fort Sherman, Idaho, and Ord. Ser. Henry Wilkins, Key West Bks., Fla. (S. O. June 1, H. Q. A.)

(Correspondence of the Army and Navy Journal.)

NAVAL ACADEMY.

ANAPOLIS, MD., June 8, 1893.

On May 31 the Cadets showed to the Board of Visitors and many spectators their skill in marksmanship with small arms and great guns. The exercises consisted of long range and volley firing with small arms by the Cadets of the 3d and 4th classes; great gun drill in the gun house, where there is mounted a 6-inch B. L. R., two 4-inch B. L. R., a 6 and 1 lb. Hotchkiss rapid firing guns; firing of torpedoes by Cadets of the 1st class; target practice with a 1 lb. Hotchkiss rapid firing gun, mounted in the bow of a launch; and target practice with a 6 lb. and 3 lb. Hotchkiss rapid firing guns, mounted on the Standish. At 2:30 P. M. the graduates were presented with valuable books from "The Army and Navy Auxiliary of the Ladies' Aid Society." At 4 P. M. the artillery drill took place, Lieut. A. Sharp commanding.

At 6 P. M. dress parade was held and the medals for the highest scores in gun practice were presented as follows: For excellence in great gun target practice: Gold Medal—Cadet H. H. Ward, 1st Class. Silver Medal—Cadet P. C. Hains, 1st Class. Bronze Medal—Cadet H. Pearson, 1st Class. For excellence in small gun target practice: Gold Medal—Cadet T. G. Roberts, 2d Class. Silver Medal—Cadet D. Cox, 2d Class.

The exciting drill for the flag gathered a large crowd on Thursday morning. The judges were Lieut. A. Sharp, F. J. Haessler and R. H. Noble, U. S. A. The companies were commanded by Cadets W. V. N. Powelson, W. S. Crooley, F. H. Clarke and H. A. Pearson. The prize was won by the perfect drilling of the 1st Co., Cadet Lieut. Powelson, and was presented by Miss Horbert, daughter of the Secretary of the Navy. At the close of the drill, after the cadets had been marched back to the armory, the members of the victorious company carried Cadet Lieut. Powelson all over the yard on their shoulders.

Among the visitors to the Naval Academy during the graduating exercises were Col. A. W. Tibbett, of Washington; Mr. J. T. Preston, of Baltimore; Judge and Mrs. Powelson and party, of Middleton, N. Y.; Arthur Ferguson, of N. Y.; Col. Volkmar, U. S. A.; Lieut. and Mrs. J. A. Cresson, U. S. N.; Mrs. Rear Admiral Benham and Miss Benham; ex-Surgeon-General Grier, Mr. and Mrs. Daniels, of Raleigh, N. C.; Senator Call and Miss Call, of Florida; Mr. and Mrs. Munroe, Miss Munroe, Miss Smith and Miss Conner, of Georgia; Mr. Jackson, of Soranton, Penn.; Mr. and Mrs. Elder and party, of West Newton, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. Fowel, of El Paso, Tex.; Col. and Mrs. W. E. Potter, Miss Potter and Miss Marie Nixon, of Bridgeton, N. J.; Col. J. H. Proctor, of Ky.; Pay Dir. and Mrs. Looker, and Miss Looker, of Washington, and Mr. and Mrs. Pratt, of Syracuse, Ill.

The graduating exercises of the Naval Academy were held in the chapel June 2. Secretary Herbert coming down from Washington that morning to attend them. Chaplain H. H. Clark, of the Navy, opened the ceremonies with prayer, at the conclusion of which Superintendent Paythian introduced Mr. Noah Brooks, the Board of Visitors' orator, who spoke earnestly and eloquently. It was intended to deliver the diplomas out of doors, but the rain prevented. The diplomas were presented by the Secretary of the Navy, who made no speech, but said a kindly word to each cadet as he handed him his parchment. When the distribution was over, Cadet Powelson, the leading honor-man, called for three cheers for the "classes we leave behind." Then all the rest of the cadets cheered for "the class that is leaving us." These were followed by cheers for the Board of Visitors and the Secretary of the Navy.

Old Ford's Theatre, where Lincoln was killed, was the scene of a frightful calamity on Friday morning. The three floors of the building fell in burying in the debris several hundred clerks of the Pension Division of the War Department; five hundred clerks were employed in the building. At the hour of going to press twenty-two dead bodies and forty wounded men had been removed from the ruins and the work of rescue was still in progress. Two troops of cavalry from Fort Myer and two batteries from Washington Barracks and all the available Army and Navy surgeons in Washington were promptly ordered to render assistance.

The superstitious will notice the coincidence between this sad event and the burial of the brother of John Wilkes Booth in New York, at almost the same hour.

LAUNCH OF THE MASSACHUSETTS.

ANOTHER important event in the history of the new Navy happens this week. At 10 A. M. on Saturday June 10, the *Massachusetts* will launch from their famous establishment the formidable battleship *Massachusetts*, the second of the kind within the year. The President, members of the Cabinet and others high in official life, have accepted invitations to attend the ceremonies. Miss Herbert, daughter of the Secretary of Navy, will break the traditional bottle.

The *Massachusetts* is the second of the three coast-line battleships to be launched. To William Cramp and Sons, of Philadelphia, were awarded two of these craft at a contract price of \$3,920,000 apiece. The award was made November 19, 1890, at which time the Cramps formally bound themselves to finish the two vessels within exactly three years.

The *Massachusetts* is built of steel. The hull is protected by belts of heavy armor 7½ feet wide, three feet of which is above water. This protection runs along both sides of the vessel for a distance of 145 feet, amidships, at the extremities of which the armor turns toward the center line at an angle of 45 degrees for a longitudinal distance of 24 feet, affording a total broadside protection of 196 feet, and nesting around and supporting the armor for the 13-inch guns. On top of this side armor is placed a steel deck 2½ in. thick, under which are the magazines and machinery. Above this belt of side armor and extending from redoubt to redoubt, the sides are five inches thick, with a backing of ten feet of coal.

The vessel is cut up forward beneath the water-line, making a powerful ram bow and doing away with excessive bow waves on account of the easier lines so obtained as well as greatly adding to the maneuvering qualities.

The principal dimensions are: Length over all, 350 feet 10½ inches; length on the water-line, 348 feet; breadth extreme, 69½ feet; draught forward and aft, 24 feet; displacement, 10,288 tons; sustained sea speed, 15 knots; normal coal supply, 400 tons.

Between the turrets for the 13-inch guns there is a superstructure in which are placed the 6-inch guns, and above or upon the deck erected thereon are placed the 8-inch guns. A battery of 6 pounders is arranged along the top of the hammock berthing and bridge, and 1-pounders are placed two forward and two aft, one on either side, on the berth deck. In the tops of the double topped military masts are placed four Gatling guns, two in each top.

The batteries will consist of: 4 13-inch broad-loading rifles, 8 8-inch broad-loading rifles, 4 6-inch broad-loading rifles—main. 20 6-pounder rapid-fire guns, 4 1-pounder rapid-fire guns, 4 Gatling guns—secondary.

In addition to the foregoing offensive phase of the ship there are six torpedo tubes, one bow, one stern and four broadside, two on either side just abaft and forward of and after barbettes, respectively. The four 13-inch guns are mounted in pairs in two barbettes forward and abaft the superstructure, on the main deck. The lower part of these turrets, called the barbette, is 17 inches thick, while the turret proper that rises above the wall of armor is 15 inches thick. The 8-inch guns are mounted in pairs in four turrets of similar character, two on either side, on the forward and after extremities of the superstructure deck. The four 6-inch guns, two on each side, are placed amidships on the main deck. These guns will have local protection in addition to splinter bulkheads, shields and automatic shutters. The 13-inch guns have an effective arc of fire of 270 degrees. These guns are mounted 17½ feet above the water-line. The 8-inch guns are about 25 feet above the water-line and are high enough to fire over the 13-inch turrets. These guns have an arc of fire of 164 degrees. The engines are of the twin-screw, vertical, triple expansion, inverted cylinder type, diameter of cylinders being as follows: High pressure, 34½; intermediate pressure, 48; low pressure, 75, with a common stroke of 42 inches. There are four double-ended boilers 18x15 in diameter, and two single-ended boilers (donkey) 18x10 in diameter. Each boiler and engine is in a separate water-tight compartment, in order to localize possible injury. While the normal coal supply is 400 tons, there is a coal-bunker capacity of 1,800 tons. The complement will consist of 475 persons—officers and men. Good quarters and accommodations have been provided, and all the latest sanitary improvements will be installed to insure efficiency and thoroughness in lighting, ventilating and draining.

ORDNANCE NOTES.

A test of a sample lot of the new 12-inch mortar deck piercing projectiles, being manufactured by the Sterling Steel Company for the Ordnance Bureau of the Army, will take place at Sandy Hook on Friday next.

Everything is nearly in readiness at the national armory at Springfield, Mass., for the turning out of the Krag-Jorgensen gun, and the armory will be equipped for the actual manufacture of the gun about July 1. Orders have been given for the manufacture of the ammunition for the new gun at the Frankford Arsenal.

It is reported that Gen. Cutocheon, the civilian member of the Board on Ordnance and Fortification, will shortly be succeeded by Gen. J. C. Lockwood, ex-Governor of Kentucky. The only explanation for the promised change is a desire to reward Gen. Lockwood for his services to President Cleveland during the Chicago Convention. It is said that he was offered the Assistant Secretaryship of War, but has declined it for the higher salaried place on the Ordnance and Fortification Board.

Dr. Erich Weiss, of the Gernsche Dynamite Works, has invented an explosive of which extraordinary results are reported. It is a fatty substance, resembling frozen olive oil, does not explode by blows or shocks, and if thrown on to a fire it burns slowly with a bluish flame. It only explodes by the introduction of a certain substance, which is the secret of the inventor. The report is not very loud, but the ballistic effect is said to be nine times that of powder. The substance develops but little heat, and after 100 rounds had been fired the barrel of the rifle close to the chamber had only a temperature

of 29 deg. cent. A quantity of the substance, which causes the explosion, not larger than a poppy seed is sufficient, and it is inserted into the cartridge by means of a needle. The explosion is almost smokeless, and produces very little detonation. The trials have given most successful results. There is practically no recoil, even when the gun is loaded with a heavy charge, and there is scarcely any heating of the weapon. The used cartridge cases can be filled again by a simple method. The new explosive can be employed for the existing artillery, but is not adaptable to the infantry rifle at present in use. Four new models of rifles have, however, been constructed, and trials have been made with them.

An innovation in the calibres of machine guns as well as small arms is about to be inaugurated by the Army Ordnance Bureau. The initiative was taken this week by asking bids for 20 machine guns of .30 calibre. Twenty thousand dollars was appropriated for this purpose in the last Army appropriation act, the law expressly calling for .30 calibres. It is expected that there will be two competitors for furnishing these weapons—the Colts Company, which formerly manufactured the Gatling gun now in use, and the Gatling Gun Company, which is now experimenting with a new piece of the required calibre.

The Bethlehem Iron Works has been given the contract for the forgings of the 8-inch high power guns for firing high explosives, to be built on the Hearst reinforced system. The forgings are to be delivered in two months. The work of finishing and assembling will be performed at the Washington Navy-yard. This gun when completed will be tested in competition with the high explosive gun now being built at the Washington yard upon designs of the Ordnance Bureau. The latter will be ready for trial during the coming autumn. Emmenite will be the high explosive used. Smokeless powder will be used as the propelling charge. The trial of this gun is one of the most instructive events in the ordnance line booked for the present year.

The 16-cm. (6.3-inch) gun, constructed at the Ruelle Works for the purpose of studying and comparing the relative performances of slow-burning and smokeless powder, is stated to have already given velocities in excess of 1,200 metres (3,937 f.-s.). This gun, is built up in four pieces. The breech piece, or gun proper, has a length of 50 calibres, which can be elongated, by the addition of the other three pieces, to a total length of 90 calibres. In the preliminary experiments carried out at Ruelle, when velocities of 1,200 metres were attained, the gun passed through the ordeal without showing any signs of strain. Further and more exhaustive experiments are to take place shortly at the Gavres range, near Lorient.

The Fiske range finder, of which so much was expected, is not being favorably reported upon by some of the foreign naval officials. A Russian officer of high rank in the fleet now at Philadelphia states that he recently examined the range finder as a member of a naval board, and that the Russian naval authorities were inclined to look lightly upon the device. He found the instrument of service whenever the atmosphere was clear, but so soon as the firing became brisk it was next to impossible to learn anything of the range from the range finders. The latter were hid in the smoke which enveloped the deep. Then, too, he says the electrical mechanism was affected by the gun discharge, and constantly failed to work.—N. Y. Times.

During the test of the Brown segmental wire gun at Birdsboro, Pa., April 15, a pressure was obtained which was so great that the record could not be read from the gauges. The coppers used were sent to the Chief of Ordnance, U. S. Army, for test, and the result is recorded in a report by Lieut. Whistler of June 1, 1893. Lieut. Whistler reports that the official test indicates a pressure of 73,000 lbs. per square inch. In a letter to the Trustees of the Gun Co. he says: "This is, of course, a higher pressure than actually occurred in the gun, due to the fact that the initial compression of the coppers was too low. For such a pressure, an initial compression of 70,000 lbs. per square inch should have been used, whereas the compression was one of but 50,000 lbs. per sq. inch. Since April 15, we have fired five shots, increasing the powder charge by small increments from 24.50 lbs. to 27 lbs., and have determined the following facts: That there was no sudden jump of pressure between 24 and 27 lb. charges and that the pressures obtained gave a true curve. The pressure curve thus obtained indicated that the pressure in the gun should have been about 74,000 lbs. per square inch for 30.83 lbs. of powder, the charge used at the last shot April 15, 1893. As a pressure much over 50,000 lbs. per sq. inch was not expected, no preparation was made to obtain an accurate record for any greater pressure. The copper used would not record accurately a pressure greater than about 55,000 lbs. per sq. inch, and we can therefore only ascertain the true pressure approximately. We have evidence, however, that it exceeded 70,000 lbs. per sq. inch. I am of the opinion that the static pressure in the gun was about 74,000 lbs. per square inch, as indicated by the pressure curve above mentioned."

The California Commandery of the Loyal Legion, gave recently, a special reception in honor of Rear Admiral John Irwin, U. S. N., which was an exceedingly pleasant occasion. Commander Woodruff, in introducing the guests of the evening said, among other pleasant things: "We have met to honor ourselves by showing our respect and our love for a Companion whom you all know and whom none know but to honor. A Companion who has held high office in this Commandery and who, but for his absolute refusal, would have held and honored the highest office in your gift. We meet to-night to say 'Hail and Farewell' to a Companion who has been selected to uphold the honor of the American Flag and the dignity of our nation on those Eastern Asiatic Coasts where crowd the greatest portion of the population of the globe, and where, when the noonday sun shines on our Republic, his ships will be enshrouded in the sable shroud of night, and where he is when we say good-night to the sun, we may be sure that the dawn's early light will find our flag still there and full high advanced."

THE STATE TROOPS.

ATTENDANCE AT THE NEW YORK CAMP.

The following table shows the average of present and absent of the regimental organizations of New York at the State Camp in 1891, and as the same commands will be on duty this year, the table will be found of use for comparison:

	Average Present.	Average Absent.	Average percent. Present.
12th Regiment.....	591	57	85.94
22d Regiment.....	536	14	85.21
5th Regiment.....	491	80	82.55
10th Battalion.....	184	61	75.50
71st Regiment.....	457	152	75.04
74th Regiment.....	590	121	73.17
25d Regiment.....	568	259	70.84
7th Regiment.....	710	310	69.41
47th Regiment.....	386	183	68.37

MEMORIAL DAY PARADE.

In our account of the Memorial Day parade in New York City, published in the JOURNAL of June 3, the reference to the Italian sailors, Troop A and the 69th Regiment, which should have followed after the remarks about the Spanish sailors, was accidentally omitted owing to a portion of the copy being lost. The reference in question should have read as follows: "The battalion of Italian sailors (four companies of 16 files) made a splendid appearance. They are a fine set of men and marched superbly. Troop A, in command of Capt. Roe, which came next, paraded six platoons of 12 files; their alignments were not up to the standard owing to their mounts, which were not as good as usual, and it was apparent that quite a number of the horses were new in the business of parades. The 69th Regiment, led by the veteran colonel and brevet brigadier-general, James Cavanagh, never appeared to better advantage, parading 10 companies of 16 files, in two battalions. The marching and general appearance of the men was excellent. The lieutenant colonel, however, wore corduroy breeches, which is not a part of the National Guard uniform. The adjutant of the 1st Battalion had no plate on his helmet." The remarks about the lieutenant colonel, etc., which appeared last week would lead the ordinary reader to suppose that both he and the adjutant belonged to the Spanish contingent instead of being enthusiastic members of the 69th which they are.

NAVAL MILITIA.

New York.—The Naval Militia of New York will in all probability be sent to sea this summer for a week on some of the ships of the North Atlantic Squadron. Gov. Flower has been informed by Secretary Herbert of the proposed plan, and was asked to submit to the Department the number of men composing the Naval Militia in the State of New York. A similar letter was sent to Gov. Russell of Massachusetts. If the Governors approve the plan of the Department, arrangements will immediately begin for the cruise, which will take place some time in July.

Connecticut.—In the House June 7, the Military Committee reported the bill creating a battalion of Naval Militia similar to those in Massachusetts, Rhode Island and New York.

NEW HAMPSHIRE.

The 1st Brigade, Gen. J. N. Patterson commanding, went into camp at the State ground, Concord, June 5. The 1st Regiment, Col. Lane, was the first to arrive at 10:30, followed by the 3d, Col. Sanborn, 45 minutes later. The 2d, Col. Merrill, arrived at 12:30. The 1st Light Battery came overland from Manchester, and arrived at 3 p. m. Troop A, Cavalry, Capt. Davis, left Bennington at 4 a. m., and made the march of 40 miles in the sweltering heat, reporting for duty with every officer and man present at 7 p. m. All the organization were in good condition, and presented a creditable appearance. The following is the report of attendance the first day:

Regiment	Present		Absent	
	Officers	Enlisted men	Officers	Enlisted men
Brigade commander's staff.....	9	5	1	0
First.....	32	325	1	81
Second.....	32	257	2	88
Third.....	34	290	0	71
First Light Battery.....	4	64	0	4
Troop A, Cavalry.....	3	55	0	0
Totals.....	114	946	4	195

MASSACHUSETTS.

The 1st Brigade of Massachusetts Militia, Brig.-Gen. B. F. Bridges, went into camp at South Framingham on June 8. The Commander-in-Chief, under date of June 3, 1893, issued the following order relative to Cr. I. Mills: Special Orders No. 70.

It appearing since the organization of the Court of Inquiry now sitting in the case of Col. J. Albert Mills, 5th Regiment, M. V. M., that a serious criminal charge has been preferred against him in court, and that in said complaint he is a fugitive from justice, and it further appearing that said Court of Inquiry has no jurisdiction to try said charge, but that the interests of the Service require its investigation, it is therefore, ordered that the Court of Inquiry instituted by special orders No. 54, Adjutant General's office, dated May 9, 1893, of which Col. Wm. A. Bascom, 6th Regiment, M. V. M., is President, is hereby dissolved, and papers connected with the court will be forwarded to the office of the adjutant general.

A General Court-martial is hereby appointed to meet at headquarters 1st Brigade, M. V. M., at camp in South Framingham, on Thursday, June 8, 1893, at 10 o'clock A. M., or as soon thereafter as practicable, for the trial of Col. J. Albert Mills and such other persons as may be brought before it by authority from these headquarters.

Detail for the Court.—Col. Thomas R. Matthews, 1st Regiment Infantry; Col. Embury P. Clark, 2d Regiment Infantry; Col. Henry Parsons, 6th Regiment Infantry; Cap. Henry S. Dewey, 1st Brigade, Judge Advocate.

By order of the Commander-in-Chief,

SAMUEL DALTON, Adjutant General.

Lieut. Col. T. F. Edmunds, commanding the 1st Corps of Cadets, has issued orders relative to the encampment of the cadets in which he says: "The corps will go into camp Saturday, July 3, and remain until Saturday, July 15. The duty of the first two days will be done by order of the commanding officer. Monday, July 10, will be the annual drill. The remaining days will constitute the camp tour according to law."

"Every member of the corps is expected to study drill regulations, guard manual and standing orders in advance, except such portion of the latter as may be in conflict with the two former."

"A copy of drill regulations, and a copy of the guard manual, procured at his own expense, should be considered a part of the equipment of each soldier."

Percy Parker Lowell has been appointed and commissioned Assistant Quartermaster General, with the rank of colonel on staff of commander-in-chief. G. O. T. A. G. O., publishes the amended bill of dress, and all officers will be held to a strict compliance with same.

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OHIO.

At an officers' meeting, held at regimental headquarters, Kenton, O., it was unanimously decided that the 2d Regiment camp at Chicago about August 15th, 1893.
Mr. Thomas Goodwillie, of the Standard Oil Company, Cleveland, O., very kindly tendered the Regiment the use of 51 acres, free of charge, of a fine piece of land on Lake Michigan, at South Chicago. A model camp can and will be held—plenty of good water, good drill ground, and just what is needed for the convenience of the men. The State pays for six days camp, which the Regiment will serve faithfully, then remain six days for sight-seeing—total of 12 days; and as R. R. boat and street car can be had directly to World's Fair from the ground, nothing better could be desired for. Fine place for boating, bathing and fishing also will be appreciated by the men. Every man in the Regiment will feel indebted to Mr. Goodwillie for so kind an offer. The field staff, band and Co. G of the 2d Regiment will hold an inspection, and a reception tendered Adj. Gen. Howe at the armory, Kenton, on June 14.

WISCONSIN.

The several organizations of the Wisconsin National Guard will assemble for instruction at the Wisconsin Military Reservation near Camp Douglas, Juneau Co., Wis., as follows: 1st Infantry, July 9 to 15, inclusive; 4th Infantry, Light Horse Squadron and 1st Light Battery, July 16 to 22, inclusive; 2d Infantry, July 30 to Aug. 5, inclusive; 3d Infantry, Aug. 6 to 12, inclusive.

The commanding officers of the Light Horse Squadron and 1st Light Battery will report to Col. Louis Auer, commanding 4th Infantry, for orders in reference to all matters pertaining to camp.

The Quartermaster General's Department will have the camp ground properly prepared for the several commands, and no advance details will be made, except two company cooks and one quartermaster sergeant for each company. Such detail will be sent to camp 24 hours in advance of its command.

The commanding officer of each organization will muster his command during the week of camp duty, upon a day to be fixed hereafter.

It is expected that the Wisconsin National Guard will be inspected while in camp by a regular Army officer, detailed for that purpose by the Secretary of War.

The Quartermaster General will provide transportation to and from Camp Douglas for each command as usual.

VARIOUS.

The 1st Brigade of New Jersey National Guard will go into camp at Sea Girt on July 22.

Companies G, H, and K, 71st N. Y., who were at Creedmoor June 6 qualified 66 men as marksmen.

The Camp of Instruction, New York, will be open this afternoon (June 10) by the 23d Regiment, Col. J. N. Partridge, who will leave by train from the Grand Central Depot about 12:30 o'clock p. m., for Sea Hook. It will be relieved by the 7th Regiment, Col. Appleton, June 17.

The election for major of the 2d Battalion, 71st N. Y., held on June 6, resulted in no election, as after two ballots no candidate had the majority of votes cast. The result of the last ballot was Capt. Smith 10, ex-Capt. Bascomb 10, and Capt. Tilden 5. No other election, it was decided, should be held until after the regiment returns from camp.

An election for major in the 9th Regiment, will be held June 12.

Maj. Benj. S. Steen, who has been a member of the 47th New York for thirty-five years, sent in his resignation on June 5.

Companies A, B, H, and I, 22d N. Y., in command of Maj. Bartlett were at Creedmoor, June 6, and 128 men qualified as marksmen.

The Veterans of the 47th N. Y. will go on their annual picnic June 13 to Point View Island, Long Island. The steamer *Ridgway Park* will leave the foot of South 6th St., Brooklyn at 8:30 A. M.

Lieut. G. W. Rogers, Co. K, 15th N. Y., has been unanimously elected captain, vice Luscomb, promoted. Capt. Rogers has been connected with the regiment since 1881, and is an excellent officer. The nomination for 1st lieutenant was tendered 2d Lieut. T. J. Hooley.

The first parade of the Trumpet and Drum Corps of the Old Guard, on May 30, was a noticeable and gratifying feature of the parade of this organization. Under the direction of Trumpeter J. H. Allen, 2d Battery, the rendition of the martial music was perfect, and he deserves much praise for his ability in establishing so able a corps of professional musicians.

The 7th N. Y., in command of Col. Appleton, on the afternoon of June 3 paraded in front of Hotel Savoy, rendering the Princess Salute, who had been invited to review a marching salute. The companies of the regiment paraded fronts of 32 files, and were formed in two battalions, the first under Maj. Kin and the second under Maj. Abrams. The display of the regiment could hardly be improved upon, and it was indeed a splendid exhibition.

The range at Creedmoor, L. I., was occupied June 7 by a detachment of the 23d N. Y., composed of Cos. E, F, and K, under command of Maj. Dowd, and numbering 100 officers and men. The weather was cloudy, with a brisk "10 o'clock" wind blowing. Of those present, 180 succeeded in winning the State Marksman's Badge. In the volley firing at the "man targets" the record stood: Co. E, shots fired 650, hits 147; Co. F, shots fired 370, hits 75; Co. K, shots fired 310, hits 85.

Col. H. Dowd, 12th N. Y., has made a complaint against Brig.-Gen. Louis Fitzgerald, 1st Brigade, based on Par. 7, Military Regulations, S. N. Y. It will be remembered that the officers of the 12th desired to hold an election for major at Col. Dowd's office, on May 13, and the Colonel called on the brigade commander to obtain the necessary permission. The latter not being in, Col. Dowd left a letter with reference to holding the election, as stated. The General refused to allow the election to be held at the office of the Colonel, but ordered it for Monday evening, May 15, at the armory. Sensational articles appeared at the time in the different papers in relation to the trouble, at the same time stating the Brigadier General to be full of wrath over the Colonel's action in the matter, and the General was also accused of criticizing Col. Dowd, who holds him responsible for these publications and seeks redress. It is understood the General has denied the interviews reported in several papers, which took Col. Dowd to task. The whole matter seems to rest on the question as to whether the General was correctly reported.

The G. C. M. ordered by S. O. 66, for the trial of Capt. I. G. Cobin, Co. G, 1st Regt., N. G. S. N. Y., charged with a violation of Pars. 40 and 119, Military Code, held its first session in the board room at the armory of the 22d Regiment on

the evening of June 5. The specification to the first charge was that Capt. Cobin knowingly enlisted a recruit under the age of 21 without the consent of his parents, and the second, that he knowingly sent forth a paper that was changed after it was sworn to on or about Oct. 11, 1892. The court consisted of Major Hart, 23d Regt., president; Capt. Wilson, 2d Battery; Clayton, 13th Regt.; Keck, 71st Regt., and Ives, signal officer, members, and Major Van Duser, 1st Brigade staff, judge advocate. The accused, who was represented by ex-Lieut.-Col. Dennison as counsel, pleaded "not guilty." Col. Dennison demurred to the charges and argued that the specifications did not state facts to support the charges. The accused, it was argued, could not be charged with making a false account as charged in specifications, but could only be tried for forgery if for anything. An enlistment paper was not a certificate it was claimed, and under Par. 119, M. C., it was argued, the offence charged could not be brought to trial. Judge Advocate Van Duser argued that the certificate referred to was part of the enlistment paper and the court overruled the demurrer. Pvt. Drows and his mother testified as to his age. After examining other witnesses the court adjourned to Tuesday evening, June 12, at the same place, which, by the way, being the street traffic in front of it of horse cars, carriages, wagons and the incessant jingle of bicycle bells is a very noisy locality. Capt. Clayton was 25 minutes late, the president of the court reminding him that State orders specified that the court was to meet at 8 p. m., not 8:30.

(Correspondence of the Army and Navy Journal.)

FORT LEAVENWORTH, KAS.

MAY 31, 1893.

The last batch of officers ordered here for examination for promotion, consisting of Capt. Nolan, 1st Lieut. Grier, and Howland, and 2d Lieut. Jones, have completed their examinations and gone, having been notified that the result in each case was satisfactory.

Chaplain and Mrs. Tully have left the post and do not expect to return.

On June 1 the general mess is to be started up here. It is to commence at first with only one battalion of infantry, so as to get it started. The cavalry troops will continue their own messes and the other battalion of infantry will be on the range. Lieut. C. J. T. Clark has been detailed as the officer in charge of the mess, as he has had some experience in managing a general mess before.

Lieut. Batson has gone on leave and is to be married on June 1, at Newark N. J.

Since Chaplain Tully's departure we have no regular services, but Chaplain Pierce, from the prison, does what he can to keep up the religious spirit. As he is living in Sunday evenings to holding services in St. John's Chapel in town he cannot preach here Sunday evening.

Military Order of the Loyal Legion.

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Army.—Capt. Luther Stearns Ames, Lieut. Benjamin W. Atkinson, Capt. Charles G. Ayres, Capt. John M. Bannister, Capt. William Brodus Bannister, Lieut. Henry Hill Benham, Col. James Biddle, Lieut. William F. Blauvelt, Lieut. Charles H. Bone-steel, Capt. William Olive Borden, Lieut. Edwin F. Brewer, Lieut. Edward T. Brown, Lieut. Roger Bates Bryan, Capt. Otho Williams Budd, Capt. William S. Carpenter, Gen. John G. Chandler, Capt. William Henry Corbuser, Col. H. P. Curtis (deceased), Capt. John W. Dillenback, Lieut. Charles Pinckney Elliott, Charles Rudolph Exner, Lieut. Leighton Finley, Capt. Walter N. Finley, Capt. E. A. Garlington, Lieut. James O. Green, Asst. Adjt.-Gen. O. D. Greene, Lieut. John C. Gregg, Lieut. William Reeve Hamilton, Lieut. Andrew G. Hammond, Capt. Walter Howe, Capt. Richard L. Hoxie, Capt. Ralph Wilson Hoyt, Capt. Henry Wilson Hubbell, Maj. James Jackson, Lieut. Evan M. Johnson, Capt. Jefferson Randolph Kean, Lieut. Frank R. Keffer, Capt. Frederick M. H. Kendrick, Capt. Henry S. Kilbourne, Maj. Jacob Kline, Capt. James Loring Lusk, Capt. C. N. B. Macauley, Lieut.-Col. James Cooper McKee, Lieut. William Allen Mercer, Lieut. Stephen C. Mills, Maj. Louis T. Morris, Lieut. Maury Nichols, Maj. Stevens D. Norvell, Lieut. Edward O. C. Ord, Lieut. Charles Dyer Parkhurst, Lieut. William Paulding, Maj. Frank Huntington Phillips, Lieut. Henry Albert Reed, Lieut. Sedgwick Rice, Capt. Charles F. Robb, Maj.-Gen. John C. Robinson, Capt. Henry Romeyn, Lieut. Benjamin Platt Runkle, Capt. Washington I. Sanborn, Lieut. George Owen Squier, Lieut.-Col. Philip W. Stanhope, Capt. John Milton Thompson, Col. Edwin F. Townsend, Cap. John Ludlow Viven, Lieut. Frederick Von Schrader, Capt. William Preston Voss, Lieut. Charles B. Wheeler, Brig.-Gen. Thomas Wilson, Lieut. William Cullen Wren, Lieut.-Col. Joseph P. Wright, Lieut. Walter King Wright, Lieut. William Mason Wright.

Navy.—P. A. Surg. Samuel Westray Battle, Lieut. Timothy Dix Bolles, Ensign Francis Boughter, Ensign Charles Brand, Dr. George Rawson Brush, Pay Inspector Arthur Burtis, Surg. Erza C. Darr, Albert S. Greene, Boatswain William Lowell Hill, Surgeon Joseph Finley Keeney, Lieut. Edward R. Lowndes, Charles Franklin Pierce, Capt. Edward Reels Potter, Lieut. Walter Jesse Sears, Capt. George Watson Sumner.

DECISIONS BY THE SECOND COMPTROLLER.

SECOND COMPTROLLER GILKESON has decided that the provision, that "hereafter no enlisted man shall be entitled to receive more than one ration daily," in the Army appropriation act of July 16, 1892, applies to sergeants and corporals of Ordnance, and that it therefore repeals that section of 1293, R. S., which allowed them one and a half ration per day.

Second Comptroller Gilkeson has decided in the affirmative questions submitted to him by the Secretary of War, as to whether a soldier can act as an auctioneer at a sale of condemned property, and whether he can be paid for his services as such auctioneer from the proceeds of such sale.

The Second Comptroller has decided that extra duty pay cannot be allowed soldiers detailed as laborers in the Ordnance Department, for the reason that no appropriation has been made for that purpose since 1887, and that the failure to do so was clearly an intention on the part of Congress to suspend section 1287 so far as it applied to extra duty in the Ordnance Department.

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

H. N.—You seem to be entitled to count double service, from March 14, 1865, to April 2, 1866.

O.—Capt. Addison Barrett is only 53 years of age. He joined the Service when about twenty-two.

S. H.—Being over thirty years of age and no previous service, your enlistment in the Army is barred by law.

J. R.—If the case is correctly stated the man is not entitled to a "Deserter's Release." Best let him surrender and see.

X. X.—President Cleveland's first appointment of post chaplain in the Army will be due Sept. 8, 1895, when Post Chaplain Parker retires.

J. S.—According to your own statement of service, you can purchase your discharge now, but you cannot be discharged as a veteran, as you have not sufficient service.

U. S. M. C.—Your service in the Marine Corps counts, and, according to your statement, there would be no difficulty in your securing admission to the Soldier's Home.

Plebe.—Has a cadet at West Point any military rank? **Ans.**—Yes, he has the rank of cadet, coming between additional 2d lieutenant and sergeant major. Consult par. 8, of the Regulations as amended by G. O. 55, A. G. O., 1890.

Old England.—Alfred H. Hammond, formerly of Troop D, 8th U. S. Cavalry, was discharged as a Commissary Sergeant, U. S. A., Oct. 30, 1876, at Fort Bliss, Tex., and there is no record of his subsequent enlistment in the Regular Army.

Old Vet asks where he can get an account of the services of the 5th N. Y. Vol. (Duryee Zouaves) during the late war? **Ans.**—See New York in the War of the Rebellion, by Col. F. F. Polster, published by Weed, Parsons and Co., Albany, N. Y.

G. H.—Please inform me if Apothecaries are entitled to a salute, as they claim such on this station, and as there are three of them on the island and are never in uniform, I am at a loss how to treat them? **Ans.**—Apothecaries are not entitled to a salute.

A. O. W. and B. L. ask: Was Kentucky redistricted by the last apportionment act? If so, what district, according to the last apportionment, is to be vacant at the Military Academy at West Point in 1894? **Ans.**—No change has been made in the Congressional districts of Kentucky. The 11th District is now vacant. The 9th will be vacant in 1894.

J. McF. asks: If a prisoner is arraigned before a summary court, and has been previously convicted, should the former convictions (if taken cognizance of) be announced to him by the court before or during trial? **Ans.**—There is no order on the subject, but it would seem proper to do so.

A. B. C. D.—Will you please enlighten us on the subject of discharges granted from the Marine Corps after a service of three years? We have learned that there is such an order in existence, but no one has ever seen a copy of such an order? **Ans.**—The General Order has been prepared, but has not yet been acted upon by Secretary Herbert.

Mac asks: Is a person barred from obtaining a pension under the following circumstances? Enlisted, April, 1861, for three months; re-enlisted, July, 1861, for three years (volunteer service)—honorable discharge at expiration of each enlistment. Enlisted in Regular Army in 1868 for five years; deserted in 1871. Pensions are based on service during the war. Does this act of desertion, several years after the close of the war, annul his war service? **Ans.**—The Adjutant-General's Office issues deserters' releases under certain conditions, and these are usually accepted by the Pension Office in granting pensions.

X. asks: From which districts of Georgia were the following cadets of the 3d Class at the Military Academy appointed, and who are the Congressmen from those respective districts. The cadets are: Wm. Yates, Robert E. L. Spence and Hamill A. Smith. **Ans.**—2d, 3d and 10th (new list), respectively. Congressmen Lawson, Russell and Lester, respectively, represent these districts.

P. F. M. asks: What States have been affected by the redistricting of the U. S., as determined by the last census, as regards Congressional districts? **Ans.**—Alabama, Arkansas, California, Colorado, Georgia, Illinois, Kansas, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Texas, Washington and Wisconsin.

F. E. asks: 1. Who is the appointee to the U. S. Naval Academy for the 9th N. Y. Congressional District? **Ans.**—John A. Day.

2. Who represents the 8th N. Y. at West Point Military Academy? **Ans.**—T. F. Dwyer.

(Correspondence of the Army and Navy Journal.)

FORT MONROE, VIRGINIA.

JUNE 7, 1893.

THE battalion of the 4th Artillery, consisting of Batteries A and M from Washington Barracks, and D and L from Ft. McHenry, Baltimore, under command of Maj. Geo. B. Rodney, 4th Artillery, arrived at the post on the morning of June 1, for their artillery firing and drill. They went into camp in a vacant lot of the Ft. Monroe Arsenal, and were soon as comfortably situated as the circumstances permitted. Lieut. Geo. F. Landers, 4th Artillery, is detailed as Adjutant of the camp, and both he and Maj. Rodney will remain at the post until the second battalion, which is expected to arrive July 1, has completed its practice.

Maj. Marcus F. Miller, 5th Artillery, having been designated to inspect the Militia of the State of Massachusetts, left the post on June 3, for that duty. He expects to be absent about three weeks this time, and also expects to be called away again before he completes his detail. Mrs. Miller has returned to Washington after spending a pleasant week at Lieut. Miller's.

Col. Peter C. Hains has returned to Washington, leaving here last Saturday evening. Mrs. Hains will remain a short time longer with her son.

The training ship *Portsmouth* was in the roads for a day or two during the latter part of last week.

Sergt. Louis Hastings, of the Band, was taken sick very suddenly, while at parade on last Friday evening, and he is lying very dangerously ill. Sergt. Hastings has been in the band here since 1868, and has raised a most interesting family here.

Pvt. Gustave Kipper, Battery H, 4th Artillery, has been very ill during the past week. Kipper is the machinist of the school, and when he is sick nearly everybody at the post has reason to know it. Bright and early on Monday morning all at the post were surprised to see Batteries E and K, 4th Artillery, from Ft. McPherson, Ga., march into the post. They finally got transportation from Georgia, and they are welcomed as additions to the garrison.

With the four batteries of the 4th Artillery here for artillery practice, and the eight permanent batteries of the post we have quite an impressive little army all of our own, and things begin to look quite lively.

Miss Menoher, of Philadelphia, is visiting her brother, Lieut. C. T. Menoher, 3d Art.

It would be quite tedious to enumerate the many changes in quarters, occasioned by the addition of but three officers to the garrison. The people here are well acquainted with the fact that the Army has regulations regarding choice of quarters by officers.

Pvt. Peter Johnson, Battery B, 3d Art., for a number of years chief clerk in the Adjutant's office at this post, has been ordered to Governor's Island for trial as a clerk at Department Headquarters, with a view to his transfer to the General Service.

It will interest many officers and others who have been at Ft. Monroe in the years past to know that all hotels and other private establishments at the post, are now required to pay State taxes; the Hygeia Hotel is required to pay \$11,600 back taxes. Perhaps now the State will be satisfied.

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sistence Supplies," opened June 23d, 1893,
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But the enlisted men of the post have tried to get permission to build themselves a room, in which to hold their lodge meetings, but so far they have been unsuccessful. No one thinks, however, but that the War Department will give to these faithful soldiers the permission they desire.

FORM NO. 72.

To the Editor of the Army and Navy Journal:

THE COMMISSARY General of Subsistence is evidently trying to make a reduction in the number of papers in his department, but his subordinates do not seem to realize the fact. What possible reason can form 72 have, if the post commissaries must also forward a return of subsistence stores to the Chief Commissary of the Department? It reminds me of that funny story about the man who wrote his letter on a postal card; placed it in a stamped and addressed envelope, and sealed it, remarking: "Them postal cards is very handy."

COMMISSARY SERGEANT.

THOSE INDIAN BREVETS.

To the Editor of the Army and Navy Journal:

It is said that delay in taking action on the Indian Brevets, arises from the fact that injustice may be done some who have not been recommended, as the law requires, by Department commanders. That is no reason why justice should not be done those who have been recommended. The others can ask for necessary legislation to cover their cases, and, if deserving ones, and approved by the General of the Army, from the records, no doubt will exist of further action. Again there is a class of officers who want brevet rank on their present increased rank, and who are opposing the present decision, forgetting, as they do, that their record will appear as well for future preferment, if the handle to their name is not as long as they would wish. Another class who have no brevets have not been recommended for any, and do not wish to see others rewarded. Still another class who obtained brevets for holding down an office chair during the war, do not wish to see others sitting on the throne with them and want to be left general—ly alone with their dignified titles. Do justice though the heavens fall. General Sherman once said the services rendered the country by our Army out West was in its development of more importance than the war of the Rebellion. So thought Sheridan, Crook and Miles.

FAIR PLAY.

NAVAL ACADEMY GRADUATES.

THE Naval Academy graduating class of 1893 held their tenth annual reunion at the Columbia Athletic Club in Washington May 31. It was well attended, notwithstanding that the members are pretty well scattered, and that the great majority of them are in civil life. The Navy was represented by Ensign Chapin and Naval Constructors Armistead, Baxter and Street. The civilian members present were: Messrs. Littlehales, Colvin, Von Schraeder, Legare, Greene, Barnard, Gillie, Carswell, Gross, J. A. Jackson, Frazier, O'Leary, Philbir, Megrath, Ledbetter, Agee, Witherspoon, Balthis, Ryan, Palmer, Zinnel, Lerch and Pettite. The following were elected officers for the ensuing year: Naval Constructor Street, president; Ensign Chapin, secretary; Messrs. Frazier, O'Leary, Lerch and Littlehales, committee.

(From the London Army and Navy Gazette).

THE GRAPES ARE SOUR.

A GREAT wall was made in the Press when the City of Paris and the City of New York were transferred to the United States Registry, and the transfer is being used as a lever to prod the Admiralty. What are the facts about these two steamers? Naval men are wont to be told that the Atlantic liner is always in perfect order, and always in the highest possible state of efficiency; they will be relieved to hear that from the time these vessels were built till now they have been under constant repair. At the present time they are literally "things of shreds and patches." Their hulls below the water-line are built with outside butt straps, and to make a fair surface, liners have since been fitted on the fore and aft edges of the straps; their engine bed plates are held together by many bolts; their columns are patched, and the boilers have been tinkered at till it is impossible to say on what system they are worked; their propellers and shafts have been changed a few times. Had these vessels been designed and owned by our Admiralty, they would have caused any number of "scandals." They have been a perfect mine of wealth to Birkenhead workmen, and will afford plentiful and remunerative employment to those of Southampton. I do not for a moment say that they are not perfectly efficient passenger steamers, but, to use a vulgar but expressive aphorism, you cannot make a silk purse out of a sow's ear, and the most competent naval opinion is to the effect that you cannot make an efficient mail steamer as equally efficient armed cruiser.

THE BUSBY.

To the Editor of the Army and Navy Journal.

I was pleased to learn of the method adopted by the cavalry officers on duty at Ft. Leavenworth, to secure an expression of opinion concerning changes in the "head gear" for the cavalry arm of the Service. On account of the number of officers on duty there, and every regiment being represented, it appears to me that their conclusions should receive due consideration.

And yet I cannot agree with them. I, for one, do not favor the "Busby," nor anything approaching it in appearance or build; the fact that it can and will be made light does not meet the objection to it. Weight is not the one factor in determining the usefulness of our present helmet; a head gear can be light in weight and yet be top-heavy. No matter how light a Busby is made, it will sit too far up in the air to make it a desirable headgear for mounted troops.

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JOHN F. McBLAIN, 1st Lieut., 9th Cav.
FORT MCKINNEY, WYO., May 25, 1893.

THE Chief of Engineers in G. O. S. C. E., 1893, announcing the death May 18, of Col. D. C. Houston, recounts his valuable services, and says: "All who have been professionally associated with Col. Houston acknowledge his exceptional abilities, broad and quick judgment, and kindly disposition."

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BENEDICT-HALFORD.—At Nottingham, England, May 24, Mr. M. V. BENEDICT, of New York, to Miss JEANETTE HALFORD, daughter of Major E. Halford, Paymaster, U. S. Army.

BRYAN-MCCALMONT.—At Washington, D. C., June 1, P. A. Engineer E. C. BRYAN, U. S. N., to Miss MARIA HALDEMANN MCCALMONT.

JOHNSON-MCGREGOR.—In San Francisco, Cal., June 1 by the Rev. Donald Ross, Capt. RICHARD W. JOHNSON, Medical Corps, U. S. Army, to HELEN WOODBURN, daughter of Maj. Thomas McGregor, 2d U. S. Cavalry.

MAGRUDER-BOUSH.—At Washington, D. C., May 29, Ensign T. P. MAGRUDER, U. S. Navy, to Miss ROSE BOUSH, daughter of the late Naval Constructor G. R. Boush, U. S. Navy.

WILLIAMSON-HALL.—At St. John's Church, Washington, D. C., June 3, by the Rev. Dr. Mackay Smith, Miss MARIE WILLIAMSON, daughter of Chief Engineer Thom Williamson, U. S. N., to Mr. W. CARVEL HALL, of Baltimore, Md.

DIED.

ANDREWS.—At Davenport, Iowa, May 26, Major JOSEPH ANDREWS, of the 8th Iowa Volunteer Infantry.

BALDWIN.—At Hill, N. H., May 29, at the age of 82 years, CYRUS BALDWIN, father of the wife of Lieutenant E. H. Catlin, 2d Artillery.

BRODIE.—At Evelyn Heights, Fauquier Co., Va., May 27, MARY FRANCES DUVAL, widow of the late W. H. Brodie, and mother of the wife of Lieutenant Denis H. Mahan, U. S. Navy.

CLARK.—At the residence of his parents, 812 Highland avenue, Newark, N. J., June 7, Wm. TOMPKINS, youngest son of Margaretta S. and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel A. M. Clark, U. S. A.

CRANSTON.—At the residence of his son-in-law, Civil Engineer F. C. Prindle, U. S. Navy, Navy-yard, Boston, Mass., June 5, SAMUEL FELSON CRANSTON, aged 74 years.

HUSE.—In the city of Guatemala, April 30, GUY E. HUSE, late Lieutenant, 4th U. S. Cavalry, and late Major of Engineers, Chilean Army.

JONES.—At Leicester, N. C., May 16, Mr. GEO. R. JONES, for many years a valued employee of the Coast Survey.

MILLER.—At St. Francis Barracks, Fla., June 3, of cholera infantum, RALPH STEWART, son of Lieutenant and Mrs. S. W. Miller, aged 10 months and 5 days.

TRACY.—Suddenly, at New York City, June 3, Brevet Colonel ALBERT TRACY, Major, U. S. Army, retired.

WILSON.—At Louisville, Ky., May 28, at the residence of her father, Mr. R. A. Watta, GRETTA, wife of Archibald C. Wilson, and sister of the wife of Commander W. W. Mead, U. S. Navy.

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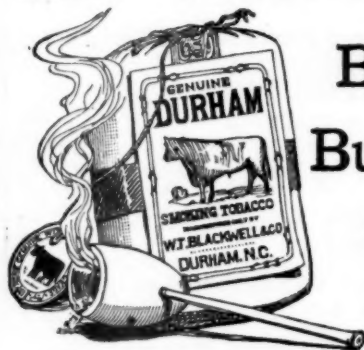
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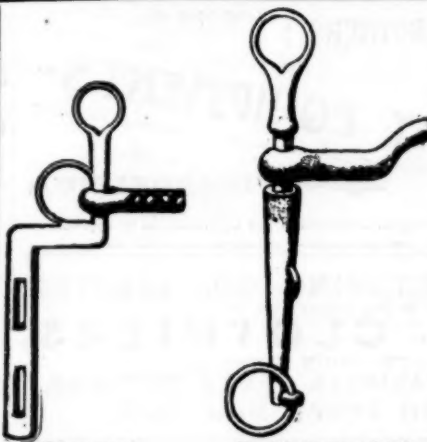
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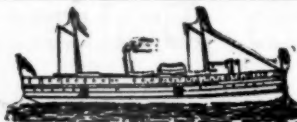
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